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Sunday: Cloudy, Rainy Periods

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Auditors Find Egg Book Mess

By PETER THOMSON
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — The auditors for the Canadian Egg Marketing Agency (CEMA) have declared that it is doubtful they will be able to offer a "clear certificate" of the agency's financial affairs next year.

In a letter to the Special Commons Committee on egg marketing, Touche Ross and Co. calls for extensive changes in CEMA's operating procedures.

And unless the changes are instituted within three months, the auditors say, it is impossible to guarantee a normal approval of CEMA financial operations.

The auditors say it is essential that all provinces use uniform procedures" in accounting for the levy paid by producers to cover surplus egg removal and the actual surplus removal.

The auditors urge that uniform procedures be followed up with "some method of enforcement and strong penalties."

They urge that the law be amended to enable CEMA to control the number of hens.

"As it is now," the auditors say, "the law only gives control of marketing."

The auditor's letter, demands that provinces be required to keep records that clearly identify eggs that were produced within provincial quotas, and those produced over-quota.

"To have records and operations properly controlled," the auditors add, "there should be much more direct management and planning at least six months ahead.

"Preferably strong central control with clearly defined responsibility for planning, co-ordination, control, operation and performance," is necessary to have CEMA keep its affairs in order.

The auditor's letter arrived as a last-minute bombshell into committee proceedings.

The committee had completed its hearings and is preparing its report which is scheduled for Dec. 16.

Explaining why they were unable to express an opinion on CEMA reports for 1973, or the first six months of 1974, the auditors say: "provincial accounting systems were not set up to control and collect the levy or keep track of the surplus production of eggs."

"The inventory records of the agency were inaccurate and not up to date at the time of our examination and we had to work from the agency's files to determine the location of the inventory.

"These records are still not up to date nor have they been corrected," the auditors wrote on Oct. 24.

"There were several locations where eggs were stored and not examined by us because the locations were not known to us or the agency at the time of examination," the letter adds.

CAROL SHEETS

The Times annual Christmas Carol song sheet supplement, this year co-sponsored by the B.C. Automobile Association, will appear with Monday's edition of the paper.

Any clubs or organizations wishing to order extra copies for their Christmas parties are asked to phone the Circulation Department at 382-3131.

Slump Prods Ford Into Policy Review

Times News Services

WASHINGTON — President Ford's administration is reviewing the worsening economic situation in the United States and may ask Congress for new anti-recession legislation.

White House press secretary Ron Nessen said the unemployment rate of 6.5 per cent is "a source of great concern" to Ford.

"As we decide to take new steps they will be announced," Nessen said.

In addition to the economic reviews Ford, recognizing that voluntary energy conservation measures have proved inadequate, has ordered a full-scale energy review looking toward more stringent controls next year.

Nessen said that a series of planning sessions is under way to prepare recommendations for the President.

The President will announce his decisions in his State of the Union message in mid-January, or sooner, Nessen said.

The moves to find new answers to the energy problem plus the announcement that unemployment has reached 6.5 per cent sooner than the administration expected appeared to herald a shift of emphasis toward White House intervention in the economy.

No administration source would indicate what specific steps might be taken to restimulate the economy. But both Treasury Secretary, William E. Simon and Economic Council Chairman Alan Greenspan are on the record as preferring a tax cut to increased expenditures, because a tax cut, in theory, is more easily reversible.

Meanwhile, the Federal Reserve Board Friday took action to counter the recession. It lowered to 7.75 from eight per cent the rate of interest it charges banks for borrowing in the New York and Philadelphia districts.

The action, which probably will spread to the other reserve districts around the country, makes it easier for banks to borrow the money they need to lend to other sectors of the economy.

It was the strongest move so far in the board's effort to ease the money supply.

The unemployment rate, now at its highest level since 1961, is expected to continue to increase.

Reacting to the unemployment statistics, the New York Stock Exchange closed at a 12-year low.

VINTAGE FUMBLE

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — A wine lover paid $380 for a bottle of vintage port today — then accidentally smashed it a few minutes later on the front steps of a hotel.

Businessman John Nader had just won a spirited bidding duel for the bottle of 1922 port at a wine auction.

Bystanders said he shouted with dismay as the bottle slipped through his fingers.

He fled, carrying the only reminder of his $380 investment — the broken piece of bottle bearing the label.

Langford 'accident' scene draws lots of attention

Head-On Highway Lesson

Passing motorists gaped at a gory-looking accident on the Trans-Canada Highway Friday while police, ambulance crew and by-standers kidded around in the drizzling rain.

A nurse passing in her car stopped to offer assistance, but it was politely turned down by the RCMP . . . with thanks.

As the blood-spattered body of a heavy-set young man was carried to a waiting ambulance, one of the crew puffing under the weight joked: "You would have to get the whole rugby team."

The blood on the bodies was a mixture of glycerine and food coloring. The two smashed up cars in the head-on crash were on loan from the junkyard of the Insurance Corporation of B.C. and nobody was really hurt at all.

The "accident" was staged by the Colwood RCMP and students from Belmont-Fisher secondary school in Langford as a project for Safe-Driving Week. Pictures taken of the accident will be made into collage posters for distribution in the community.

The two students who set up the project, Dan Willis and Dale Davies, timed the ambulance crew from the Langford volunteer fire department. It took only five minutes for the crew to arrive at the accident scene — the volunteers knew of the project, but did not know what time they would be called.

After 26 minutes, all four "bodies" were extricated from the wreck and deposited in the back of the waiting ambulance.

The accident "toll": one dead, three critically injured.

The RCMP constables, Wayne Wooldridge and Don Forth, and the ambulance workers, Roy Mills and Pete Boudreau, went quietly and efficiently about their work, with explanations on the side to the students and other bystanders.

Before the call to the ambulance crew, Belmont-Fisher performing arts instructor Adrian Javis dabbed "blood" on the students — Perry Chow, Candy McMaster, Dave Wallace and Terry Armstrong —eliciting even more stares from drivers who had to slow down to pass the wrecks.

Bus Kills Man

VANCOUVER (CP) — Andy Garbays, 43, of Vancouver was killed today when he was run over by a B.C. hydro bus on a downtown street.

Meddling Charge Riles Gati

By LIZ HUGHES
Times Staff

Victoria Symphony musical director Lazlo Gati has asked for an emergency meeting with the board of directors to discuss a charge that he is interfering in administrative affairs.

Gati has asked that the meeting be held before Dec. 15 and some symphony society directors say they "presume" the meeting will be granted although no date has yet been set.

Meanwhile, there may be a growing movement among the symphony's membership to hold a general membership meeting to discuss the internal problems.

Gati said Friday he had asked for the meeting because he wanted to know what position the board was taking on the opinion expressed in a newspaper last week by society president Madge Ronahan that Gati "should be containing his efforts to the artistic side."

The conductor said he will find out the board's position, "and then judge what my position will be."

Asked if he was considering leaving the symphony, Gati said: "If this mess cannot be sorted out, then one of my alternatives could be to leave."

The "mess" Gati referred to has been brewing for some time and has resulted in the resignation of two of the directors, Murray Adaskin and Arthur Irwin. Both expressed disagreement with the management of symphony affairs.

A third director, Times Publisher Stuart Underhill, also resigned, giving business pressures as his reason.

At a board of directors meeting last week, A. E. Salter said he had never in his life sat on a committee "that has so much nitpicking and backbiting."

Gati said Friday he felt he had been publicly attacked by Miss Ronahan, but said he was not yet ready to defend himself publicly.

He expressed hope that the "mess" could be sorted out by the society's directors and that "we can fix up the house and then do what we are supposed to be doing.

"I'm not here to fight," he said, "I'm here to be a musical conductor. This (situation) is not conducive to a peaceful environment."

Symphony directors contacted Friday would make no comment on the proposed meeting with Gati.

One director, who did not want his name used, said the meeting was "a clear-the-air meeting."

President Ronahan said any comments on behalf of the board of directors would have to come from director Maurice Johnson who is also the board's honorary solicitor.

Johnson said he presumed a meeting would be held, but did not know when.

He said he felt whatever problems the symphony was experiencing could be solved and that the problems were "healthy."

He said the problems were a sign of progress and "it shows we are not a moribund society."

"Whenever you have someone in an operation who has fire, ambition, like a good

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MINERS ASKED TO PROTEST

British Columbia miners recently laid off have been invited to Victoria Monday to join a demonstration against the provinical government, United Steelworkers of America local 1012 president Ken Levy said today.

Levy said the 63 miners who lost their jobs at Jordan River this week would appear at the Langford welfare office at 10 a.m. Monday.

"It is a demonstration, not a demand for welfare. We want jobs and we feel the government has let us down," Levy said.

The 350 miners laid off Friday at Granduc mine 100 miles north of Prince Rupert have been invited to join the demonstration on Monday, Levy said.

Jordan River Mines was unable to meet its final payday on Friday, defaulting on about $63,000 on wages, according to a union estimate.

Last payday for the miners was Nov. 23 for the first two weeks in November.

Levy said the union has placed a lien against Jordan River Mines for back pay but has little hope of receiving any money in less than a year because the assets have been seized by Pechiney Development, which holds a $2 million debenture.

Levy said the men were taking their battle to the provincial government because they had become convinced taxation policies were leading to mine closures.

First demonstration, he said, would be a mass turnout to the Langford welfare office at 921 Goldstream.

The men will also seek a meeting Monday with Mines Minster Leo Nimsick.

He stressed that the men wanted work, not welfare, but added the miners faced a bleak Christmas.

A change in the government's attitude toward the mining industry was needed or further closures would follow, he warned.

"The mining industry in British Columbia is dying and the forest industry is coming right behind it."

He said no one in the government has showed concern for the miners.

The men were going to the Langford welfare office because it was directly operated by the provincial government's department of human resources.

The turnout would be orderly but large enough to bring the plight of the workers to the attention of the government, Levy said.

He did not know how many of the Granduc miners would be able to make it in time for the demonstration Monday.

DRIVEN TO DRINK

VANCOUVER (CP) — Men in remote areas of British Columbia are driven to drink by boredom and sexual frustration, according to preliminary results of a provincial government study on health care in rural areas.

E. I. Signori, a University of B.C. psychologist who is co-ordinating the study, said climate, a male-female imbalance and the psychological makeup of the population contribute to the problem.

He said the average expenditure on alcohol is $250 a person in northern B.C. compared with about $150 in the lower mainland.

Signori presented the statistics at a seminar here on health care in Canada.

He said the average year-round temperature in the north is five degrees lower than in the lower mainland.

"We have some hard-nosed experimental evidence that when the temperature decreases, sexual interest rises," he said, adding that there are 20,000 more males than females in the north.

The population has a high proportion of workers whose "interest patterns involve aggressive and pugnacious pursuits" for which the north does not offer suitable outlets, he said.

Signori said the resulting expression of sexuality includes things like love of travel, movies and drinking.

The kind of activities most suitable to the area, reading and individual hobbies, are just the opposite of the kind of things most of the people want, he said.

"Otherwise we could just ship in a lot of books," he said.

'Glorified Indian Agent'

VANCOUVER (CP) — Frank Calder, a maverick NDP member of the British Columbia legislature and an Indian leader, Friday criticized the hiring of Frank Howard, a former NDP MP, as a special consultant on Indian matters for the provincial government.

"Howard will just be a glorified Indian agent and we're sick to death of Indian agents," Calder said in an interview.

"I'm sorry Frank Howard, a good friend of mine, accepted the position.

"He must be hard up."

Howard's appointment, at $30,000 a year, was announced earlier this week.

Calder, fired by Premier Dave Barrett last year from the post of minister without portfolio for Indian affairs, said "I'm rather disgusted with Premier Dave Barrett.

"There must be something wrong with the guy — and you can quote me on that too," he said.

Also reacting to the Howard appointment, the president of the British Columbia Association of Non-Status Indians criticized the provincial government for disregarding its requests to be treated like other citizens.

Fred House said in an interview here that the association has told Barrett and his cabinet it does not want a provincial minster of Indian affairs, but wishes to deal directly with government departments.

Makarios Declares Amnesty

NICOSIA (AP)—Archbishop Makarios returned to Cyprus today after five months of exile and in a dramatic balcony appearance told a roaring crowd of 200,000 he would grant amnesty to the men who plotted his overthrow as president.

A large section of the throng screamed its disapproval, chanting "EOKA-B murderers, try them, try them."

But Makarios held out his hands appealing for quiet, then said:

"Please, please. I absolve them of all sin and grant them an amnesty in the hope that this will bring about the desired concord and unity of our people."

Turkish and United Nations troops were on an alert across the island, ready to combat any outbreaks of guerrilla violence.

The exiled archbishop arrived at the British airbase at Akrotiri in southern Cyprus just before 10 a.m. and met for an hour with Luis Weckmann-Munoz of Mexico, special representative of U.N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim.

Then he flew by helicopter to the capital, where large crowds packed the streets in a wild, horn-blowing, shouting welcome.

WORDPLAY

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Bad Tidings for Rail Towns

Times News Services

The mayors of a dozen communities along the B.C. Railway from Squamish to Fort St. John want to meet Labor Minister Bill King in an effort to end the strike against the government-operated line before an already-grim economic situation gets worse.

With two weeks left before Christmas, Quesnel and Lillooet are beginning to look like ghost towns.

Unemployment in Quesnel is estimated at 50 per cent of the labor force. And in Lillooet, the figure could go as high as 75 per cent. The number of people out of work has been caused largely by mill closures in both towns and aggravated by the B.C. Railway strike, soon to enter its third week.

Mayor Ceal Tingley says Quesnel is in a recession.

"It's a serious situation," the mayor said.

"At least half of the total working force is unemployed and firms are going out of business.

"One auto sales agency went out of business, two real estate agencies have closed, two finance offices have closed, one shopping plaza has closed to evening trade and some merchants tell me they're down as much as 60 per cent.

"We run a motel and my wife gets a dozen phone calls every day from people wanting work."

Tingley said the B.C. rail strike comes at a bad time and could bring further mill closures and greater unemployment if it isn't stopped soon.

He and Mayor Jim Fraser of Williams Lake have organized the mayors of towns all along the line and they want King to stop it in a hurry.

But King said in an interview Friday in Victoria he has no immediate plans to intervene in the strike.

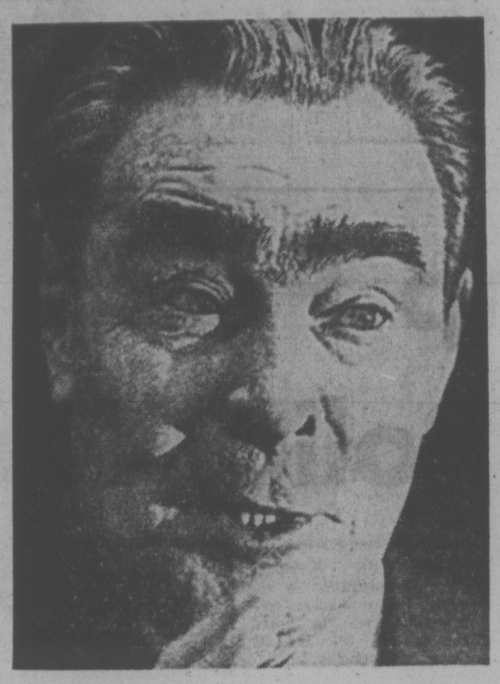
He said the disruption "is part of the dynamics of the collective bargaining system."

Fraser says his town will start hurting if the strike continues another two weeks.

Then, he said, there will be "drastic effects" on B.C.'s economy.

"My concern is that from Squamish to Fort St. John, the mills will be forced to shut down. They can only stockpile for so long. Then, chances are, they'll be closed through to spring breakup."

Brezhnev Ailing



PARIS (UPI) — French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing and Soviet Leader Leonid Brezhnev ended three days of talks today, with the French accepting Moscow's demands for a 35-nation conference on European security.

For the second day in a row, the meeting was delayed 90 minutes because Soviet Communist Party General Secretary Brezhnev was "very tired," French officials said.

Throughout his official visit, which began Wednesday night, Brezhnev's program has been made as light as possible.

The health rumors surfaced Friday when the Soviet leader in the morning had it announced he was skipping a planned visit to a Soviet-French historical exhibition in Paris, then excused himself from a luncheon hosted by Giscard d'Estaing.

'Interference' Charge Irks Gati

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musical conductor, a director of a museum or an art gallery, you are bound to have problems — it's part of the operational syndrome," Johnson said.

He said the orchestra is developing a high standard and that everyone in the symphony society "is puching in the same direction, but in our own little spheres."

In a letter to the Times, appearing today on Page 4, symphony society members Myfanwy and Nikola Pavelic of Ardmore Drive, Sidney, called for a general membership meeting of the symphony as soon as possible.

The Pavelics said a special general meeting can be called under the symphony bylaws at the written request of 50 members . . . "and 40 times that number are ready and willing to sign."

The board of directors at a earlier meeting elected Mrs. Joan Johnson as a replacement for Underhill, but is still looking for candidates for the two seats left vacant by Irwin, a former Times publisher, and Adaskin, a composer and music teacher.

Following are the letters of resignation written by Irwin and Adaskin:

"Dear Mr. Dawson:

Will you please convey to the Board of Directors of the Victoria Symphony Society my resignation as a member of the Board.

I find myself in disagreement with certain procedures and policy decisions relating to the management of the Symphony's affairs, which I believe are inimical to its best interests and from which I feel I must dissociate myself.

Needless to say I tender my resignation with regret, but under the circumstances, I feel I have no alternative. Please be assured, however, that I shall continue to follow the Symphony's course with sympathetic interest.

Sincerely Yours,
W. A. Irwin"

Dear Mr. Dawson:

I have decided, after long and serious consideration, to resign from the Board of Directors of the Vicotria Symphony Society, and would ask that you please convey this to the Board of Directors tonight.

As a professional musician I find myself in the unhappy position of strongly disagreeing with certain policy and management decisions which seem to me to be of the utmost importance, while at the same time being genuinely enthusiastic about the artistic accomplishments of the musical director, Laszlo Gati, and the unprecedented development of the Victoria Symphony Orchestra.

I come to this decision with the greatest regret, but would like you to know that I intend to continue my support of the Victoria Symphony Orchestra in every other way.

Yours very sincerely,
Murray Adaskin,
Professor Emeritus of Music.

SPIKED COFFEE FELLS PRISONERS, GUARDS

CRANSTON, R.I. (AP) — Fourteen state prison guards and five prisoners here fell ill after drinking coffee, apparently spiked with a hallucinogenic drugs.

The men reported suffering nausea, faintness and dizziness after they drank coffee brewed in a pot in the maximum security building at the Rhode Island state prison.

Two guards were put in hospital for "ingestion of an unknown drug" and were listed in good condition.

"It definitely looks like some sort of hallucinatory drug because of the way some of the men were acting," said Eugene Fagnant, president of the Brotherhood of Correctional Officers.

"The two officers that were admitted to the hospital were high as kites. They were laughing, felt numb and had no co-ordination," he said.

State police said they were waiting for a toxicologist's report on an examination of the coffee pot, grounds and cups.

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O.C. Soccer

LONDON (CP) — Stoke City took a 3-0 away victory today over Birmingham City and stayed ahead in its upset challenge for the English League soccer championship.

Jimmy Greenhoff was Stoke's hero. He scored two goals and then left the field with a broken nose.

Stoke now has 27 points from 21 games in the first division. Everton and Manchester City share second place with 26 points each, and West Ham and Liverpool are fourth with 25.

Ipswich, in second place before the games started, lost 3-0 to Middlesbrough.

LONDON (CP) — Results of soccer games played Saturday in Britain:

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division I
Aberdeen 1 Rangers 2
Airdrieonians 0 Hibernian 0
Arbroath 0 St. Johnstone 0
Ayr 2 Dundee 1
Celtic 2 Dunfermline 1
Dumbarton vs. Kilmarnock ppd.
Dundee U 3 Clyde 3
Hearts 3 Morton 1
Partick 2, Motherwell 1
Division II
Alloa 0 Raith 2
Brechin 2 Queen's Pk 1
Cowdenbeath 4 Stirling 5
East Fife 1 Stenhousemuir 1
Falkirk 2 Forfar 0
Hamilton 0, Clydebank 1
Meadowbank 3 Albion 1
Queen of S 1 Berwick 3
St. Mirren 1 Montrose 2
Stranraer 1, East Stirling 0
ENGLISH LEAUE
Division I
Birmham 0 Stoke 3
Burnley 3 Queen's PR 0
Carlisle 2 Arsenal 1
Chelsea 2 Luton 0
Leicester 0 Everton 2
Liverpool 2 Derby 2
Man City 3 Sheffield U 2
Middlesbrough 3 Ipswich 0
Tottenham 3 Newcastle U 0
West Ham 2 Leeds 1
Wolverhampton 2 Coventry 0
Division II
Blackpool 3 Notts C 1
Bolton 0 West Brom 1
Bristol C 1 Aston 0
Millwall 1, Orient 1
Norwich 1 Cardiff 1
Notts 1 Fulham 1
Oldham 3 Bristol 4
Oxford 3 Hull 1
Sheffield W 4 Man United 4
Southampton 2 York 1
Sunderland 4 Portsmouth 1
Division III
Aldershot 1 Chesterfield 0
Brighton 2 Southend U 0
Charlton 2 Blackburn 1
Grimsby 2 Halifax 1
Hereford 2 Swindon 1
Huddersfield 0 Gillingham 2
Plymouth 1 Bournemouth 0
Port Vale 1 Bury 0
Walsall 0 Peterborough 1
Watford 1 Crystal P 2
Wrexham 1 Preston 1
Division IV
Barnsley 0 Torquay 1
Bradford 1 Workington 1
Brentford 3, Darlington 0
Crewe 0 Rochdale 1
Doncaster 3, Hartlepools 0
Exeter 2 Northampton 2
Mansfield 3, Shrewsbury 1
Newport 2 Scunthorpe U 0
IRISH LEAGUE
Aruds 1, Portadown 1
Cliftonville 3, Bangor 4
Coleraine 3, Ballymena 1
Distillery 1, Larne 2
Glenavon 2, Linfield 3
Glentoran 1, Crusaders 4

Indian Land Claims Not a Howard Priority

The provincial government would be "going into a blind alley" if it attempted to get involved in Indian land claims questions now, special Indian affairs consultant Frank Howard said Friday.

Howard, appointed earlier this week to a $31,000 a year job as a consultant to the province on Indian matters, said the federal government has never outlined any terms of reference with regards to land claims matters "and until that occurs, it is difficult for the province to get involved in the land claims discussions."

Howard, who said the land claims issue is the most important question facing B.C. Indians, said he was not ruling out working on the issue later, but will await "some other decision from the federal government."

Indian fishing rights, another issue which comes under federal jurisdiction, can be dealt with on a "co-operative, federal-provincial approach," Howard said.

"Part of my responsibility is to be involved in matters that have a relationship to both governments, in questions where there is an overlap."

He said the overlap occurred because the three "food-gathering rights of Indians" — fishing, hunting and trapping — are split between the two levels of government. Hunting and trapping fall in provincial jurisdiction.

Howard said he will meet Indian leaders and groups in the province and establish "a range of priorities."

He said he wants to concentrate on one problem at a time and "set up a daily series of meetings if necessary and bring it to a head.

"The difficulty in the past has been an attempt to get rid of a whole bunch of problems all at once with the result that nothing got solved."

POPULATION NOW 22.5M

OTTAWA (CP) — The Canadian population was estimated at 22,574,000 on Oct. 1, Statistics Canada reported Friday.

The October estimate was 367,000 greater than that for a year earlier and 95,0000 greater than the last quarterly estimate, on July 1.

Net migration accounted for about half the increase in the last year. The birth rate has been declining and in previous years, natural increase was a more important factor in population growth.

The Oct. 1 estimates by province were: Newfoundland, 545,000; Prince Edward Island, 117,000; Nova Scotia, 816,000; New Brunswick, 668,000; Quebec, 6,153,000; Manitoba, 1,013,000; Saskatchewan, 909,000; Alberta, 1,732,000; and British Columbia, 2,421,000.

The estimate for the Northwest Territories was 37,000 and for the Yukon 20,000.

Sugar Price Slashed

TORONTO (CP) — Two supermarket chainc have announced further cuts in sugar prices in all outlets effective immediately. Jim Gregory, vice-president of merchandising for Loblaws Ltd., said the retail price of a five-pound bag in all stores will be $3.39, down from $3.59—the fourth such cut in two weeks. Sam Crystal, vice-president public affairs for Food City Ltd. and IGA, said a five-pound bag in those stores now also will cost $3.39.

the weather

A large weather system centred over the northeastern Pacific is moving northeastward into the Gulf of Alaska. One disturbance moving ahead of this system is causing precipitation and windy conditions on the north coast. This weather will move southeastward reaching the lower mainland this evening. Occasional precipitation will accompany this system as it moves over the interior reaching Alberta Sunday evening. Improvement is forecast behind this weather system on Sunday.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
5 A.M. FORECASTS
Valid Until Midnight Sunday

Greater Victoria: Today, cloudy with rain by evening. Becoming windy. Sunday, mainly cloudy with rain in the morning. Occasionally windy. Highs both days around 50. Lows tonight 40 to 45.

North and West Vancouver land: Today cloudy with rain periods of rain over northern portions today spreading to southern portions by this evening. Windy. Sunday, periods of rain in the morning otherwise cloudy. Windy at times. Highs both days in the high forties. Lows tonight in the low forties.

Greater Vancouver Lower Mainland, East Vancouver Island: Today cloudy with rain by evening. Becoming windy in exposed areas. Sunday, cloudy. Rain in the morning. Windy—at times. Highs both days near 50. Lows tonight 40 to 45.

TEMPERATURES
Yesterday

	Max.	Min.	Prcp.
Victoria	48	43	.33
Normal	45	38	—
One Year Ago..			
Victoria	52	45	.04
Across the Continent			
St. John's	32	14	.07
Halifax	32	18	—
Montreal	32	24	—
Ottawa	31	18	—
Toronto	37	21	—
North Bay	34	29	—
Churchill	5	—20	—
The Pas	30	—08	—
Alert Bay	—21	—32	—
Cambridge B	—34	—38	—
Resolute B	—22	—27	—
Thunder Bay	36	28	—
Kenora	29	18	—
Winnipeg	36	09	—
Brandon	36	03	—
Regina	43	—01	—
Pr Albert	25	—07	—
S Current	39	03	—
Medicine H	40	14	—
Lethbridge	44	12	—
Calgary	39	12	—
Edmonton	34	14	—
Penticton	41	36	.30
Cranbrook	40	28	—
Castlegar	39	35	.19
Vancouver	45	40	.38
Pr Rupert	50	46	.03
Pr. George	28	16	—
Mackenzie	33	28	—
Kamloops	38	36	.09
Revelstoke	37	33	—
Dawson City	14	08	.07
Ft. Nelson	03	—08	—
Peace River	13	04	—
Whitehorse	32	29	—
Ft. St. John	07	03	—
Yellowknife	—10	—14	—
Inuvik	—17	—25	—

U.S. Temperatures: Anchorage 31, 24; Detroit 32, 24; Honolulu 85, 73; Seattle 53, 41; Spokane 34, 32; Portland 55, 39; San Francisco 58, 45; Los Angeles 69, 49.

World Temperatures: Rome 55, 39; Paris 52, 46; London 57, 52; Berlin 48, 43; Amsterdam 50, 43; Brussels 52, 36; Madrid 54, 36; Moscow 30, 21; Stockholm 36, 32; Tokyo 54, 37; Hong Kong 63, 59; Singapore 88, 73.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, Dec.	6.0 hrs.
Last Dec.	11.0 hrs.
Normal (30 Years)	11.7 hrs.
Sunshine, 1974	2,167.6 hrs.
Last Year	2,239.1 hrs.
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7	02.00	4.8	09.45	9.4	17.10	4.7	22.30	6.0
8	02.45	5.9	10.05	9.5	17.45	3.6		
9	03.00	7.0	04.00	7.0	10.45	9.7	18.25	2.8

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7	03.50	5.9	11.15	11.9	18.40	4.7		
8	01.10	8.3	04.55	7.4	11.45	11.7	19.25	3.5
9	02.55	9.3	06.25	8.6	12.20	11.5	20.00	2.6

TIDES AT SOOKE HARBOR

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
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7	01.20	4.4	08.40	9.1	15.40	5.0	20.40	6.4
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B.C. Tel's new $5 million computerized exchange went into operation this morning, bringing a new service to 5,000 subscribers.

There will be virtually instant connection on local calls and no need to give a number to an operator on long distance calls that are dialled, B.C. Tel said.

Affected are numbers beginning with 595 for customers living in the area bounded by Cedar Hill Cross Road, Shelbourne Street, Fernwood and Foul Bay Road.

About 50 employees were needed to make the changeover, which took place one second after midnight this morning. The calls are handled at the Oak Bay exchange building on Foul Bay Road.

Project co-ordinator Gerry Finestrone said any call from a 595 number to a 595 number handled by the change would go through almost nstantly as soon as the last digit was dialled.

Long distance calls would be quicker, too, because the exchange would automatically record the originating number and there would be no wait for an operator.

B.C. Tel spokesman said the service was designed for speed. Any delay which would tie up lines would be rejected by the computer.

Hopefully the streamlining would result in fewer busy signals as well.

B.C. Tel technicians hook up $5M exchange

STRAY FEATHERS
harold hosford

Book's Beauty Skin Deep

If you buy a book just to look at, you'll probably enjoy John Rodgers' lastest—Shorebirds and Predators. If you buy it to read and use, you may be disappointed.

Rodgers, popular Vancouver Sun columnist, has come up with a good-looking number for this the first volume of what is to be a two-part effort on the birds of the Pacific Northwest. Unfortunately, as is sometimes the case, its beauty is only skin deep.

Fine photography by some of this area's best bird photographers, and equally good colour reproduction by the printers, may please your eye but they will not offset the weaknesses of Rodgers' descriptions.

Reviewers learn to be wary of dust jackets bearing inviting promises of good things within but as I read Shorebirds and Predators I was frequently reminded of two statements on the book's dust jacket. The first was "This refreshingly different field guide provides all the 'how to identify' information"; the second "These. . . photographs . . . reveal the birds in their natural habitat—as the watcher sees them—and not in the stilted poses of studio paintings."

Both statements, neither of which in all fairness should be attributed to the author, seemed particularly offensive; the first because Rodgers' descriptions are often not only inadequate but sometimes downright confusing the second because photographs of wing-clipped waterfowl in wildlife refuges, no matter how visually attractive, do not portray birds "in their natural habitat—as the watcher sees them."

I searched in vain through the introduction of Shorebirds and Predators for some indication of its purpose. Was it directed to the beginner or to the old hands at the birdwatching game? Only Rodgers' statement—on a recent radio interview—that Shorebirds and Predators is a "fieldguide as well as informative" gives any clue. But when John said, later in the same program, that he wouldn't take the book into the field, one cannot help wondering what happened to the fieldguide concept.

In my reading, Shorebirds and Predators fails to provide the clear, concise descriptions that are an essential part of introducing birdwatching to the newcomer. Nor does it offer much for experienced birdwatchers that is not already available in many other fine books on birds. And numerour errors, both editorial and factual, misidentified photographs, and a system of photo-credits which, in many cases, leaves the reader wondering who took what, all make their contribution to the disappointment.

Then there's the title. Why Shorebirds and Predators? Are shorebirds not predators? One might infer as much. To me it is a totally misleding title for a book covering more than 200 kinds of birds ranging from loons to owls, nearly all of which can rightfully be called predators.

In an era of fine natural history books, any new entry on the market must offer the reader something more than what is already available, or fill an obvious need, to justify its existence. There is an obvious need for a good book on the birds of British Columbia but Rodgers' duo, if the second volume remains consistent with the first, will not fill that need.

If I have seemed inordinately severe on Shorebirds and Predators it is because I had hoped for better things from John Rodgers' pen. He has let British Columbia birdwatchers down. Those who have waited long and patiently for a good book on the birds of this area are still waiting.

Egan Closes Shop

FORT LAUDERDALE (AP) — Eddie Egan, a former New York City detective who helped crack the French Connection drug case of movie and best seller fame, is throwing in the towel on The Lauderdale Connection. Egan says financial woes have forced him to close the restaurant after only 14 months.

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TURNER TO 'OIL' TROUBLES

Times News Services

OTTAWA — Finance Minister John Turner said he hoped to be able at the finance ministers meetings Monday and Tuesday to take the occasion to "pour some oil" over the troubled waters between the federal government and Alberta.

"I will certainly use the occasion of the meetings to explore that possibility," he said today.

The meeting of finance ministers comes hard on the heels of a meeting here of mines ministers from across the country.

Federal tax policies took a hammering from the ministers Friday, but after three hours they decided to push the matter to one side.

The sticky question of resource taxation took up the entire morning session, with nine of the provinces opposing Ottawa and only Nova Scotia expressing support.

"We didn't get any indication that the federal government is willing to soften its tax position," said Elwood Cowley, mines minister for Saskatchewan.

Leo Bernier of Ontario said the nine provinces opposed to Ottawa's tax stand are concerned that future supplies might be affected by current reductions in exploration.

The federal government in its Nov. 18 budget said it will end the right of oil and mining companies to deduct royalty payments to provinces in income tax calculations.

Strike Vote for Janitors

Greater Victoria school board workers will be asked Sunday to stop servicing night programs in schools for a second time.

At the same meeting, members of Local 382 of the Canadian Union of Public Employees will be asked to set a date for a strike vote in the current contract dispute.

Union vice-president Bob Cunningham said today the two sides thought they had reached agreement in October in the workload rating dispute but the interpretations differ.

Janitors and custodians withdrew service to night school and gym rentals in September because of delays in reaching agreement on workloads.

"They are backing out," Cunningham said of the school board.

He said the agreement was to reduce the square footage workload to 2,500 per hour from 3,000 but at a meeting Thursday "they would not agree 2,500 was what we had agreed to before."

School board community relations officer, Bill Stavdal, said today the board did agree with 2,500 square feet but in discussing the application of this "the union came up with a proposal that would have allocated less work to custodians and more to janitors, or would require the board to hire more staff."

The effect of the division of square footage and workloads of custodians, who also look after boilers, and janitors, who do full-time cleaning, on a 75,000-square-foot school would come out to 3,000 square feet, meaning more janitors would have to be hired, Stavdal said.

Students Perform Mikado

Three Victoria students are playing leading roles in a production of Gilbert and Sullivan's Mikado at Brentwood College, Mill Bay.

The production opens tonight at 8 and will continues through Friday in the College's theatre annex.

In the role of the heroine, Pitti-Sing, is Isabella Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Morrison, McAnally Road. Peter Butterfield plays the "wandering minstrel," Nanki-Poo, and Philip Butterfield the principal comedy character, Ko-Ko. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. Butterfield, Waterloo Road.

Strachan to Sweden

Transport Minister Bob Strachan is going to Sweden and Germany next week to study several European ferry systems.

Strachan, along with B.C. Ferries manager Charles Gallagher, deputy minister Charles Dalfen and executive assistant Peter Louden, will leave Tuesday for a nine-day tour.

Sources in the department said the minister will be looking at construction of new ferries, especially new advances that have been made in ramping, and will examine existing ferry reservation systems.

One ferry system similar to B.C.'s has had a reservation service for several years and another has just instituted a system.

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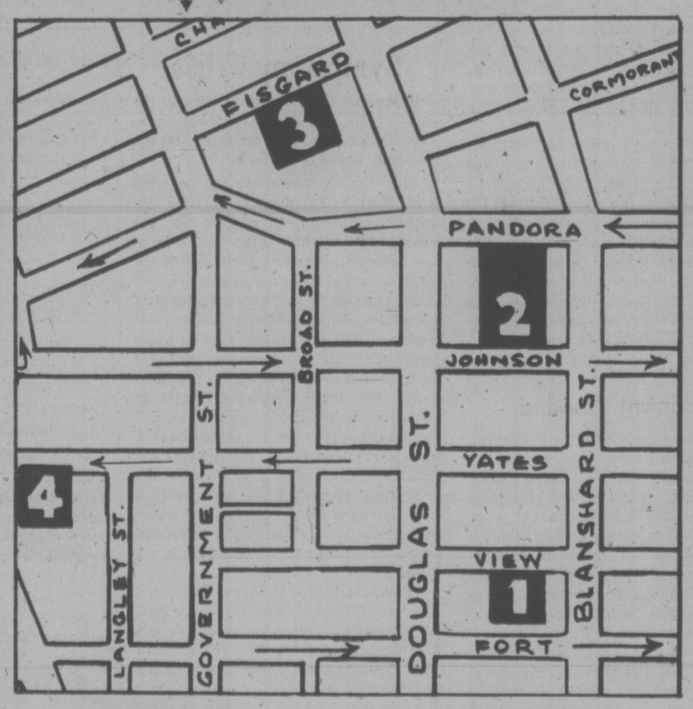

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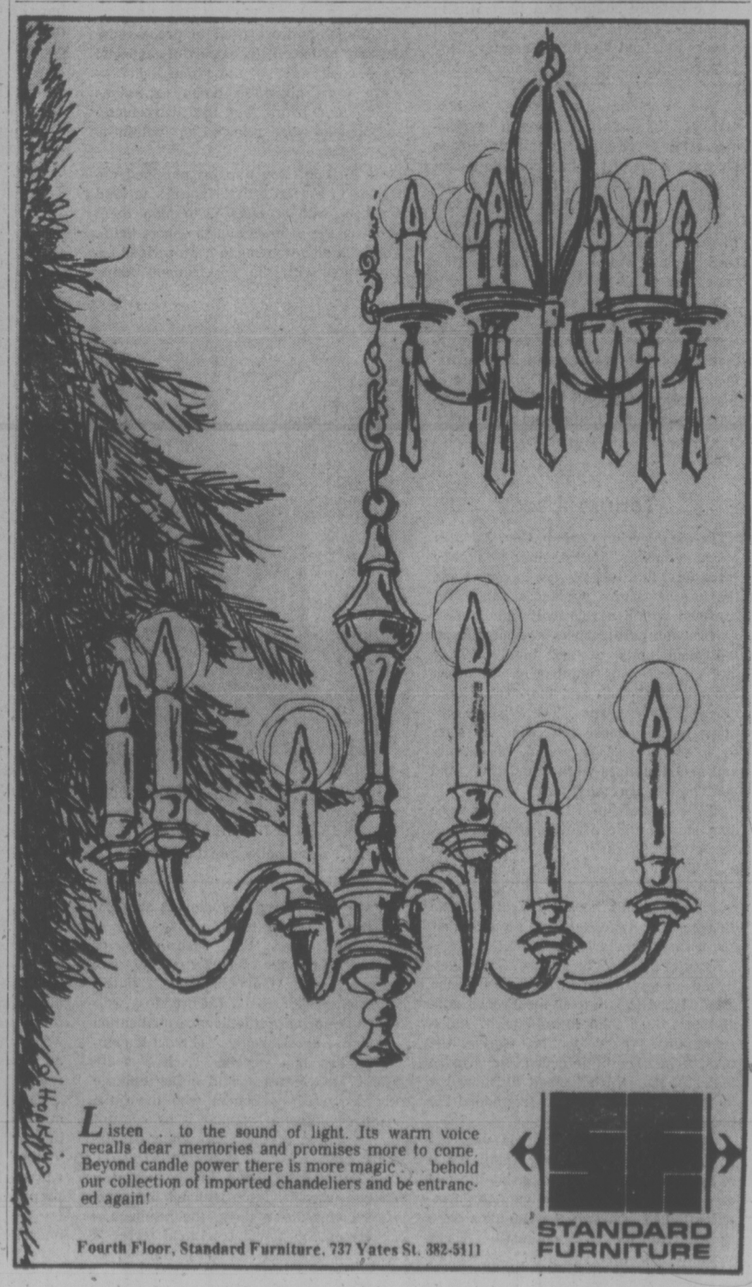

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Good Man, Unnecessary Job

The appointment of Frank Howard, the defeated New Democratic Party politician, to a $30,910 a year job as special consultant to the provincial government on Indian affairs, is of course a political one. Human Resources Minister Norman Levi is just making room for one of the NDP's own, a former member of the B.C. legislature as well as a 17-year veteran of the House of Commons.

But it's stretching things just a bit for opposition politicians to howl that it's mere pork barrel politics, a payoff for a worn-out party hack. Howard is nothing of the sort—in Ottawa he was a tough, independent-minded MP, respected for his integrity and his continuing fight on behalf of prison reform and other neglected causes.

Howard is several cuts above some of the individuals the NDP has named to various administrative positions in the last two years and measures up pretty well against some of the defeated party members and bagmen who were given comfortable niches when Social Credit was government. He's probably the best qualified person in the province for the job — Indian affairs was one of his specialties in Parliament.

Five years ago he urged that an all-Indian commission be established to deal with native land claims. He called the treaties negotiated between Ottawa and Canada's Indians in the last century "sad documents" which failed to respect cultural and historical traditions, and which the Indians themselves did not understand. They should be rewritten, in his opinion. Howard said in 1972 B.C. Indians were being cheated by the provincial government on land taxes.

But that's not the point, Howard can well defend himself. It's not the individual named to the board which should be causing such a ruckus, it's the establishment of the job in the first place. It's unnecessary and insulting to the province's native people. Again and again, Indian representatives have told the B.C. government they want to be treated like any other citizens and deal directly with the department concerned rather than through the welfare minister or some special Indian expediter.

The job is a return to 1972 when Frank Calder, a Nishga Indian and MLA for Atlin, was given the same kind of job, but as a minister without portfolio. Calder collected lots of material in his brief term—three volumes of correspondence and reports. It's all filed away somewhere in the legislature. Levi should dig it out—it would provide a blueprint for action.

That's what's required, not more studies or liaison or appointments of consultants. The government knows what must be done about the "Indian problem" but it doesn't seem to want to move very far or very fast.

Significantly, in his statement announcing Howard's appointment, Levi mentioned a long list of grievances which the special consultant will work on, such as taxation of leased reserve land, housing, economic development, education, Indians in prison, hunting and fishing rights, but neglected the one that should have topped the list, namely land claims. There's no evidence that B.C. has budged from its intransigent pose that it's entirely Ottawa's responsibility.

Considering Howard's standing with native people, many of whom voted for him as MP for Skeena, his appointment to the fancy new position seems more like just a back door attempt by the province to get into the Indians' good books by association. It's up to him — and the government, which should change its stubborn stand on land claims — to prove the job is no token gesture of appeasement.

Yes, Virginia, There Is A Santa

An informal committee of our federal politicians, no doubt anxiety-ridden and unable to sleep at night like the rest of ordinary Canadians because of worry about inflation, have stepped forward bravely and grasped the nettle. The answer to the problem, they say, is a 50 per cent increase for members of parliament.

Knockers and chronic grumblers among you may mutter that it's been only three years since their last pay raise — coincidentally another 50 per cent whopper — but only an Ebeneezer Scrooge would quibble with such a forthright solution. It's breathtaking in its simplicity.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus but he doesn't live at the North Pole any more.

Meanwhile, continuing in the Yule spirit, there's a unique Christmas gift this year. Competing with UNICEF cards and the Sally Ann kettles, the Liberal party of Canada has sent out personal invitations to prospective donors — inscribed in festive red and green colors — to make a gift and participate "in a tax-advantageous program of strengthening and broadening the political process."

No doubt the party would welcome gift donations in the name of close friends or one's children, and would provide suitable gift certificates (for income tax purposes, of course) as stocking-stuffers. Ho, ho, ho.

LAURENCE MARKS and ROBIN SMYTH

Beefing Up Fight Against IRA

LONDON — Counter-insurgency theoreticians believe there are several measures that could effectively strengthen the defence against IRA terrorism in Britain, besides the limited additional powers obtained by Home Secretary Roy Jenkins in emergency legislation last week.

The problem, they agree, is how many civil liberties it is worth sacrificing in the process. Some experts look to the experience of the French, who fought two campaigns against blind terror: the battle of Algiers against the rebel Algerian FLN (National Liberation Front) in 1957, and another against the settlers' OAS (Secret Army Organization) four years later.

Although neither campaign had an appreciable impact on the long-term political struggle over Algerian independence, both were successful in their immediate aim. The FLN lost the battle of Algiers; and the OAS plastic bomb terrorists were no match for the police counter-attack directed by Alexandre Sanguinetti.

Torture Used

In the Algerian Casbah, Gen. Jacques Massu employed overwhelming military force with limitless powers to arrest and the use of torture against a population confined within a relatively small area. At first his paratroopers and counter-intelligence units worked blindly. They laid an enormous number of ambushes around the Casbah and the city's bidonvilles (shanty towns). There were constant house-to-house searches. As soon as a suspect was arrested, his family and acquaintances were rounded up, and their houses searched, too.

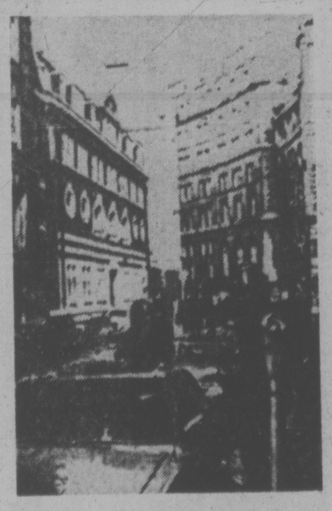
Collectors of funds for terrorism were denounced by the Algerian population. A fund-collecting chain often led straight to a political leader. Much information came spontaneously, but in 1971 Massu confirmed in his book La Vrai Bataille d'Alger (The True Battle of Algiers) that torture was regularly used.

Against the OAS in France, Sanguinetti had an advantage in the fact that the OAS wished to win over the French population rather than intimidate it. Indiscriminate savagery worked against the OAS. The bomb intended for Andre Malraux but which instead disfigured a four-year-old girl more or less ended the bomb outrages.

The defeat of OAS terror was accomplished by a relatively small group of men in the police, counter-intelligence and politics. Another advantage Sanguinetti had was that the Gaullists were linked with the OAS politically. There were people who had first chosen one cause and then switched. In this way information was obtained fairly easily. The OAS found it hard to unmask double agents.

Computers were used to process the dossiers of tens of thousands of suspects. On Jan. 18, 1962 — the "blue light" — there were about 20 bomb explosions within four hours, but the men chiefly responsible were rounded up within a few weeks.

In Britain, Roy Jenkins obtained authority to extend official powers to hold suspects without charge, to stop them entering the country and to deport them. The IRA also was made a proscribed organization with the government taking



IRA BOMB EXPLODES
. . . more police, death penalty

powers to prosecute people for supporting it or belonging to it.

Beyond that the desirability of strengthening the security forces has been occupying the thoughts of counter-insurgency specialists. Robert Moss, editor of the private intelligence publication Foreign Report, says: "The IRA campaign has now reached such a scale that I believe we should either enlarge the group of policemen who have the required skills to combat it or commit some section of the army on a permanent basis.

"We already have in the army a counter-terrorist force with all the experience and, these days, the intellectual understanding of what political terror is about ideologically. A great number of soldiers in a great number of units have developed specialized knowledge.

"Governments of both major parties have refused to consider re-organizing the police. If we follow the route we're on, there's nothing to turn to except the army."

The prevailing opinion among British specialists seems to be against the creation of a "third force" security unit like the French CRS. As Richard Clutterbuck of Exeter University puts it: "A professional third force, maintained for such duties, tends to have a certain tough image because it only meets people when they're the enemy.

"We've already got the special patrol groups and the normal police. They're able to do everything necessary up to the point at which you wish to use the army."

Clutterbuck says an amateur third force like the American national guard would be "disastrous." But he agrees with suggestions that the numbers of special constables (reserve police) should be increased. "If there's going to be a big road-blocking operation, and you suddenly want a lot of extra men, it's the best way to provide them — with well-chosen citizens who have undergone special training operating under the direction of the regular police."

Deterrent Needed

Moss favors the use of the death penalty because he believes that without it a violent backlash would be more likely. "We may see what hapened in 1972 in Northern Ireland. If a government is not seen to be acting firmly enough, private vigilante groups spring up to take revenge. When one thinks of the size of the Irish community here, one shudders to contemplate what would happen in such circumstances.

"It may be true that highly-motivated people are not deterred by the death penalty. They may indeed be seeking death. But the average IRA terrorist in this country is not a highly-motivated kamikaze type. He would be deterred."

Clutterbuck is against the death penalty. "It would tend to create sympathy for a small number of people, and it would make conviction harder. If there's an irreversible penalty, juries are more reluctant to find a man guilty."

Both agree that a public demonstration of will must play a central part in any campaign against the IRA.

"As long as you have conditions in which IRA sympathizers can openly propagate their views, we're encouraging the IRA to think that this country is uncertain about what to do with them," says Moss.

Elk Lake — John McKay photo

to the point
EDITOR'S NOTEBOOK

Open the Doors on Public Business

By GEORGE OAKE

That $1,850 spent at a Vancouver convention by four senior Victoria General hospital administrators which engendered so much secret debate among the hospital's board of directors brings back old memories. On a muggy day in May, 1973, as a Times reporter I was granted an interview by Royal Jubilee Executive Director Dr. A. C. Pickles on a similar issue — the secrecy of Royal Jubilee board meetings. Dr. Pickles and board President D. H. Lawson were at their unctuous best, although the good doctor would not allow me to use a tape recorder — a fact that sticks in my mind since it was the only time in 10 years of interviewing anyone objected to the machine.

Both gentlemen assured me nothing secretive was going on at board meetings and the hospital was always accountable at its annual meeting which offered financial statements. Dr. Pickles was so eager to please he put the question of secrecy on the agenda for the next board meeting. It was voted down, of course. And now, more than one year later, the Jubilee, which will spend over $16 million in public funds this year, still has closed meetings. And Victoria General still has closed meetings whenever it wishes. The only authority that can bring these boards to heel is the provincial government. Dennis Cocke where are you?

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And where are all the street hawkers going, now that city hall requires them to purchase a $700 licence? It's so typical of the municipal mind. It would never put an outright ban on street hawkers. That would smack of small minded thin lipped parochialism. Just tax them out of existence, as George III said. Last year there was talk of a medieval market place in Centennial Square. Now it's the dark ages again.

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Nor was there much light in Ottawa this week. Seen through a filter the style of government in Canada and the United States is illuminating. The U.S. Senate's permanent investigations subcommittee talked of "obscene profits" among large oil companies and complained that the average American paid a higher percentage income tax than the petroleum conglomerates. Here at home the federal government plans to join an oil company in challenging tax legislation passed by the Saskatchewan government. Good old Ottawa, always riding side saddle on the golden calf.

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Over in the Senate, that boneyard of broken down bagmen, the men of the political industry were miffed over a French network satire which spoofed the queen and the governor general's wife. Canadian Press, the only news organ that can stomach senate debates on a regular basis, reports the senators were scandalized. When CBC President Laurent Picard offered to show the senators a BBC film that was much tougher the senators refused. Enough was enough. If Canadians cannot satirize their institutions we are indeed a dour lot. Another reason for abolishing the Red Chamber, a bleak satire on the nation itself.

"And we're not going to phase out the driver certificates," a smug Robert Strachan said three months ago. No, but we are going to give you 14 days grace in which to acquire them and virtually do away with the $250 fine and 10 demerit points, Attorney General Alex Macdonald said Thursday. A small boon because of a computer problem, it seems. When the NDP bites the bullet there is little that will change their minds. Enmeshed in push-me-pull-you legislation, it would be too easy just to scrap the redundant certificates. Of course all those people who were fined while the NDP thought it out have no recourse, except at the next election.

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At UVic the election is already underway. Fifteen students are bidding for the two seats allotted their number on the board of governors. A healthy sign at an institution noted for apathy and apprehension, in the past.

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Up in Kamloops, the CUPE business agent is complaining about the reluctant provincial policy of work for welfare. It takes jobs away from others, he claims, in what has to be one of the year's numbing statements. Asked if he thought the unemployed should be unionized, he answered quite seriously that such a solution should be considered, but there was one hang-up. Under the provincial labor code you have to be employed to form a union. There must be some way around such a petty codicil.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Symphony Crisis

In the last three weeks reading in the local papers about the Victoria Symphony Society, one is in no doubt that the symphony board is in a crisis.

After the charges made by the president, Miss M. Ronahan, against the musical director of "meddling in the board's affairs" and after the resignation of three prominent members of the board — two of them stated that the root of the problem is in the management of the affairs of the symphony society — it is evident that the problems go so much deeper than "petty nit-picking" and certainly cannot be solved, as the president stated, by simply replacing the three members who resigned from the board.

This unhappy situation cannot have a positive result and can only damage the Victoria symphony at a time when the orchestra's reputation is now held in such high esteem — not only by the general public but by the world renowned artists who have been soloists with the orchestra.

Yehudi Menuhin, Philippe Entremont and Igor Oistrakh have highly praised the musical quality of the orchestra and the exceptionally sensitive accompaniment given to them under Laszlo Gati's direction.

As members of the symphony society and supporters for many years, we would suggest that a general meeting be called as soon as possible for the purpose of clarifying the internal situation and taking the necessary steps to insure the proper management of the society.

According to the Victoria Symphony Society bylaws, a special general meeting can be called by the board at the written request of fifty members of the society — and forty times that number are ready and willing to sign!

Anyone fortunate enough to have attended the Victoria symphony orchestra's concert last Sunday afternoon heard the standing ovation which greeted Laszlo Gati, not only from the audience but from all the musicians in the orchestra. Surely for Miss Ronahan, the president, there could not have been a stronger rebuttal of her statements in that morning's paper.

There is no doubt that there are many capable people in Victoria who can perform the functions of the president and the symphony board, but Laszlo Gati as our musical director now is indispensable. — Myfanwy and Nikola Pavelic, 577 Ardmore Drive, Sidney.

A Nature Ramble

By Freeman King

As one drives around the countryside, there are places where you can see many Flemish poplar trees growing. This particular tree revives memories of those who served in France during the First World War, for many roads and farms had them growing tall and stately. After the war they had practically all been destroyed by gun fire, but I am happy to learn that they are again growing in their orderly rows again.

To many people here they are also called the Lombardy poplar. They make a very good wind break and make an attractive landsape.

To many people it will no doubt be a surprise, but this tree has no female flowers—although some have the male catkins—and has not had any for the past 300 years. The tree originated in northern Italy.

So the only way to get a tree is to get a cutting or slip about one foot in length with a bud at the lower end, then just stick it into some good soil. It will sprout and grow. It happens that it can grow in most of any kind of soil and requires but very little attention.

I think that most market gardeners grow some, because they are quite popular.

If you take notice of this tree you will see that its branches always tend to grow upwards and do not spread out at the lower limbs like most trees.

There is a most delightful story that goes with this tree. It appears that many many years ago this tree grew limbs like other trees but it was always so busy sweeping everything with its limbs that it swept the nest of little birds from the bushes that grew near. So the birds complained to the queen of the fairies.

The branches were stopped from spreading, then the next layer started to sweep everything before them and they too swept the nests from the trees and again the birds complained. The queen stopped them and gave orders that in future none of the limbs will be allowed to spread but must reach for the sky.

So from that time on the only things that the tree may sweep are the cobwebs from the clouds as they float by, and when the sun sets and the sky turns beautiful colors one can watch and see the top branches just waving to and fro looking for the last of the cobwebs.

A delightful tree and fascinating story behind it.

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A Saga of Jane Dogood and Jenny in Far North

By DOUGLAS FISHER

OTTAWA — Few government reports or memoranda make exciting reading. Certainly few are racy and rich in human foibles.

The edited version of the memorandum printed here has more vitality than most I have read. The editing I have done has had two purposes: Firstly, to excise some extraneous administrative detail; secondly, to disguise the place and the personalities for whom identification would be harmful. None of the editing detracts from the story or the perennial difficulties which it illustrates.

Some official noted in pencil on the document: "The Perils of Innovation." The innovation was the program to bring fresh milk to Indian children in remote places. The report was turned in by a field worker who went into the Indian community to see how the program was going.

Inter-departmental Memo, November 17, 1974.

Subject: Routine visit to Amik Bay and subsequent related events made by Jack Blank and Jane Dogood, October 28-29.

We arrived in Amik Bay in great shape around noon after a nauseous three hour ride into a 60 mph wind in the stinky old Beaver. We hitched a ride from the airstrip and checked in with Jenny Leroche to find:

● The freezer had just arrived in Amik Bay. (I had been told by the shipper that it had been delivered to Amik Bay on September 10.

● That Jenny had milk and dairy products stored in every possible cool spot in Amik Bay and had been giving out the milk daily with Marie (from the school committee) helping. Marie is willing to do the whole thing but speaks only Cree and has been unable to let the people who have been storing the milk know when and what she needs. Hopefully, with our freezer installed, Jenny will be freed of some of the time she has had to spend on milk delivery.

● That Jenny didn't know where or when her operation would be but she had been hemorrhaging and had decided to go out the following week to the track to get some doctor somewhere to "get the damn thing over with."

● That Jenny's husband George has been drinking heavily; that he has to go to court again and will almost certainly go to jail as he has violated the terms of his suspended sentence; that he is unhappy about the amount of time Jenny spends out of Amik Bay.

● That Jenny really likes her job and is worried that George will interfere with her going to Little Trout Lake and Wiskapaw. She enjoys these visits and is keen to continue them.

After lunch we attended, along with Jenny, a community meeting on the new sewage lagoon. The community had called the meeting to find out from the project engineer and from three environmental experts why the community hadn't been consulted before the lagoon was built; why the lagoon was built so close to the lake and so close to the settlement; why the lagoon was built on the last section of Crown land really suitable for houses; why the water line went from the school to the Reserve through the non-treaty section of Amik Bay; why there were pumps on the Reserve but not on non-treaty land; why, if the lagoon was to be built, had it not been made large enough for the whole community to use?

The professionals had come to show the Indians nice colored slides of pretty lagoons and then go home. They sat there with their mouths hanging open and had no satisfactory answers. It was a beautiful meeting.

After supper, we helped Jenny, the school committee and the principal to move the freezer inside and set it up. Then we went back to Jenny's, ostensibly to discuss more of her concerns and the fun began.

George came in roaring drunk and we had a good chat with him but his presence and condition made any serious discussion impossible so we played it by ear. George took Jack Blank off to the local poker game while Jenny decided to take me for a ride in their new Skidoo. After a few false starts we were off at full speed across ice and grass.

There was a notable shortage of snow. I must confess to being scared skinny but I figured Jenny knew Skidoos, Amik Bay, and generally what was going on better than I did.

Unfortunately, I figured wrong. We headed out onto the bay off the Reserve just before the bridge, hit sheer ice and went into a spin and shot off against the bridge.

We broke the ice and started sinking, but the Skidoo got stuck about three feet under. (I found out later the water is 12 feet deep there.) I managed to climb out but Jenny was pinned between the Skidoo and the bridge and I couldn't lift her. I tried to get her to climb off but she was in shock and pain and couldn't move so I ran for help.

How do you say help so that someone who speaks only Chip will know what you're talking about? I "lucked-in" at the second house I tried, found two teenage guys who understood me and who came and got Jenny out.

As soon as I saw she was on land and was being taken to a house, I ran for the nurse and on my way I met three little Laroches and sent them to get Jack Blank to get the principal and the truck we had used to move the freezer. In the meantime, George had passed out so Jack was on his way back to the mission where he was to sleep.

I got to the nursing station: Rung the bell, knocked on the door, then practically kicked the door down. No answer! No note saying where the nurse was in an emergency. After five or 10 minutes, Jack, the principal, three little Laroches told me the nurse was probably at the Bay manager's house so I and one of the kids dropped off there while the rest of the team took Jenny home as there was no point in taking her to the locked nursing station.

At the Bay manager's house, I asked him if the nurse was there. At first no comment, then I explained situation and manager disappeared.

After several minutes the nurse appeared. I explained the situation again and was told "I'm not holding a clinic in someone else's house.'

I said we would take Jenny to the nursing station and was told that the worst she could have would probably be cracked ribs. I said I wasn't a nurse and didn't know. I felt someone who knew should look at her.

Among other things, I was told that Jenny should take some pain killers of which "she has lots around the house." Maybe later when she went back to the nursing station she might see Jenny if we wanted to bring her then. She then returned to the Bay manager.

The child and I went back to Jenny's house frustrated and furious. I stayed with Jenny for an hour and half or so, put the kids to bed and tried to make her comfortable.

In the meantime, the principal tried to get the nurse to the nursing station. The priest (the nice one) tried to get her to go. When I got to the mission about 10:30, a gathering of eight or more frustrated people were wondering what to do so the priest and the principal decided to make a team effort.

They managed after much persuasion to bring the nurse to the nursing station. We helped get Jenny into the truck; were assured that she would be kept at the nursing station overnight.

Jenny's mother-in-law said she would stay with the kids so I went back to the mission to get out of my wet parka and pants. It was bitter cold. Gladly, I fell asleep on the mission floor.

The next morning early I saw Jenny's mother-in-law going for water and asked her what was up. She said Jenny was at home and still sleeping so I went off to find Jack Blank.

At about 10 a.m. Jack went off to see the council clerk and the mayor (who were both fine, it seems) and I went to spend the morning sitting and talking with Jenny who was in bed and still in pain.

The nurse had given her a shot, some pills and a lecture and sent her home in her bare feet the night before. George woke up and was hung over but he was quite concerned about Jenny and in relatively good humor.

After lunch Jack and I went to arrange to have the milk supplies from the various locations brought to the freezer in the school. Doris Laroche, Jenny's eldest, came to the school quite scared to tell me that her mother wanted to see me right away. I hottailed it over to Jenny's to find her in tears. George had found out the Skidoo was broken, had thrown her out of bed and had gone off to get drunk, after which he planned to return and beat her thoroughly.

I was just getting her calmed down when Huegette Bearclaw, the community health worker, came in and said that Jenny should come to the nursing station for an X-ray and I could come too. So I got Jenny dressed and we went to the nursing station where:

● Nurse gave Jenny a lecture; nurse began to bad-mouth me, the priest and the principal; Jenny started to leave; the nurse stopped her; the nurse started swearing at Jenny; Jenny swore back; the nurse jumped Jenny; a battle followed.

● I tried to separate them; Huegette ran out for the constable. Nurse hit Jenny with a crutch. Jenny picked up the crutch and the nurse ran off to her quarters shouting Jenny would go to jail for this. I took Jenny in tears and pain to her mother-in-law's house.

● I talked to family, including George. We agreed that Jenny would go out with Jack and me on the plane because: (a) She needed medical attention and was obviously not going to get it from the nurse; (b) if the nurse called in the Mounties and I was gone it would be the nurse's word against Jenny's and previous incidents had shown that this would mean Jenny's arrest.

So with get-away help from the priest we took off. Our plane had to land at Goose Portage so I called the RCMP there and made a full report of the incidents to them.

Later we had Jenny admitted to the White Lake General Hospital where she was kept for three days. We arranged then for her to move in with one of our workers. In the two days after her release they arranged for Jenny s operation, then both of them went back to Amik Bay for two days before returning to White Lake for the operation.

Jenny had her operation last week and will be in hospital for a few more days. She is pretty sore but quite chipper. She is reading her text books and planning her coming courses in detail while she recuperates.

I am going up to White Lake next week to help her get settled until her next course.

Signed,
Jane Dogood.

Jamaica's Desperate Struggle

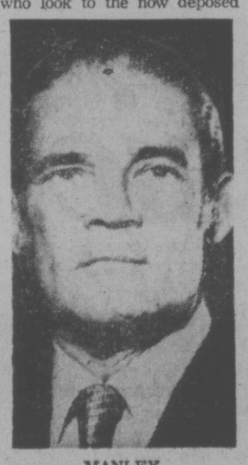
By HENRY HOWARD

KINGSTON — Jamaica's struggle to remain a democracy passes almost unnoticed. The struggle is being fought on classic lines. It represents a pattern that other islands, turning from agriculture to industrialization, should study, digest and interpret.

When Jamaica became independent of Britain in 1962 and put the final nail in the coffin of West Indian federal unity, it seemed to possess a better chance of economic and political survival than most middlesized Caribbean islands whose basic industry for centuries had been sugar. Its natural resources, in addition to excellent agricultural lands, included climate, scenery and beaches tailormade for the lucrative tourist industry which was then exploding. A valuable bauxite industry was being developed.

Its human resources were equally promising: a strong and reasonably well-disciplined labor force, the best civil service and judiciary in the British Caribbean, and a strong tradition of political democracy whose leaders, even in the last colonial years, were respected far beyond the Caribbean. Alexander Bustamante and Norman Manley were household names in London, Nairobi and New York. Jamaica also enjoyed a flourishing intellectual and artistic life.

True, there were warning signs. There was poverty. In Kingston, there were slums. And there was the problem of the rebellious rastafarians, who look to the now deposed



MANLEY
. . . too much talk?

emperor Haile Selassie as a divine leader. The gross national product per capita was only about $600, average for the Caribbean, but low for a country beginning to get a taste of American living, whose shores are only about an hour and a quarter flying time from Miami.

If 11 years ago Jamaica appeared set to tackle the problems of independence, today it sometimes seems that it may be overwhelmed by them.

The prime minister is Michael Manley, son of a distinguished father. His People's National Party was swept into power two years ago with the largest majority in Jamaica's history.

Since then his government has existed from crisis to crisis, precipitated by the well-known Caribbean ills of over-population, crime and indiscipline, chronic poverty, lack of opportunity for the educated, declining agriculture, increasing imports, shortage of foreign exchange, growing nationalism and the virus of chauvinistic racism that inevitably accompanies foreign investment and rich white tourism.

Manley is a charismatic leader in the Fabian tradition of his socialist father. So far he has taken the political and economic steps that one would have expected of him. He has established close relations with nearby Cuba, whose shadow lies heavily across Jamaica. He has sent trade missions on the pilgrims' route to China and Russia made respectable by former U.S. president Nixon. He has identified Jamaica with the Third World. He has offered assistance to African nationalist movements. He has raised huge taxes on the foreign bauxite industry and initiated a policy of economic and financial austerity.

On the reverse side of the coin, unfortunately, he has not yet halted the mounting crime wave in Jamaica. He has not curbed climbing inflation or cut down on his government's deficit spending. He has made no real dent on an unemployment figure running at 25 per cent. The population explosion in Jamaica is still traumatic.

Recently on television an 11-year-old Jamaican boy said of Hugh Shearer's former ruling Jamaica Labour Party: "They thieve too much." His comment on Manley's current People's National Party administration was: "They talk too much." More indicative of present problems may be Manley's private fears that unless dramatic improvements are made in the economic position of Jamaica and the Jamaicans, the next prime minister might not take the democratic route to office. The outcome of Jamaica's struggle to retain democracy is by no means a foregone conclusion.

London Observer

'A VICTORY FOR THE TERRORISTS'

THE GLOBE AND MAIL
An Editorial

Members of the Irish Republican Army should be dancing in the streets over their success in poisoning the wells of justice in England.

They have persuaded the Labor government that they are different from even the most savage of criminals and so the government is proposing a special law to permit arrest and detention without charge or hearing for up to seven days for IRA suspects.

They have also sparked a move to bring back hanging — which would not be surprising except that the proposal is being treated as credible by such august institutions as The Times of London. "It would, of course, be necessary to define a new offence which combined the element of murder and of political action," The Times says in an editorial.

The Times lists a number of reasons why the hanging of terrorists who have murdered can be considered practical. But it ignores two of the most important arguments against such a reintroduction of the death penalty.

Hanging is not a remote act undertaken by an unrelated, hooded man. It involves everybody. It defines the humanity of people in a society that sees taking of life as a proper penalty. They are reflected in it — and so a national character is established; and they see themselves reflected in it — and so individual characters are formed.

When Britain abolished the death penalty for murder in 1965 it proclaimed a new era of enlightenment. It freed every citizen from the grim demands of ultimate retribution. To return to hanging, The Times fails to realize, would again place the hand of every citizen on the rope. It would demean each with the demand that he too must kill.

The Times also fails to realize that the special offence of murder combined with political action would create something new. A political crime. Special status for the IRA. Recognition that it had achieved what no others in modern history had achieved — the right to be elevated above the common criminal. That, and probably the right to argue politics in any trial, for how can a person be convicted if politics isn't discussed? Then trials become platforms and justice becomes obscured.

The terrorists must be pleased.

Oval and Oval Again

RUSSELL BAKER

We are in for a rare treat, ladies and gentlemen. We are standing behind the arras in the famous Oval Office where President Ford, seated behind the famous Oval Desk, is about to be briefed on American foreign policy in the Middle East. Listen:

"As far as I can figure out" — that is the president speaking, ladies and gentlemen — "what we've got in the Middle East is an Oval Policy. I mean it meets itself coming around. Can anybody make sense out of it for me?"

"Easily, Mr. President." (Henry Kissinger has the floor.) "Our policy is peace."

The president is smiling. "Peace. I like it, Henry. We must always be for peace."

Henry is smiling.

"But what I don't understand" — now the president is frowning the frown of non-understanding — "what I don't understand, Henry, is why, if we're for peace, we're selling all that war materiel to Middle East countries."

"That's easy, Mr. President." (You are now listening to William Simon, the famous Secretary of the Treasury. He is smiling the smile of easy explanation.)

"Since we are sending billions of dollars to the Middle East to pay for oil, we have to sell something out there that will cost them billions of dollars in return so we don't get stuck without any money in the Treasury."

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The president is frowning the frown of confusion. "Let me get this straight, fellows. Our policy is peace, but we've got to help them make war, or we'll go broke. Wouldn't it be more accurate to say our policy is war?"

"Let me explain, Mr. President." (You are listening to Defense Secretary James Schlesinger who directs the famous Oval Pentagon.)

"Under American policy, there is no such thing as war materiel. Weapons are defense materiel. Our policy, therefore, is not to promote war in the Middle East, but to promote defense. The policy is defense of peace."

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The president is scratching his famous Oval Head, ladies and gentlemen, and frowning the frown of a man from Michigan who has just been offered the Brooklyn Bridge.

"But from what I read in the papers, those birds aren't interested in making defense. What they're interested in making is war. What's going to stop them from taking those perfectly innocent defense weapons and turning them into war weapons? Why can't we get the oil dollars back by selling them seomthing peaceful, like automobiles or peanuts?"

"Impossible, Mr. President." (Secretary Simon is smiling now.) "Since they are determined to make war, they are not going to waste any money on cars and peanuts. If we don't sell them defense materiel, other countries will, and Western Europe will wind up with all of our oil dollars."

Observe how unhappy the president looks. It is the unhappy look of a president who has finally understood his Middle East policy.

"What will happen if this war we're arming them for should break out?"

Henry Kissinger is smiling. Do you see his smile? It is the smile of absolute assurance. "If war should break out, they will again impose an oil embargo and cut off oil supplies to America."

"I see," says the president. "So. Our policy goes like this: In order to get back our oil dollars so we can buy more oil, we have to sell them weapons with which they can make a war that will result in an oil embargo which will make it impossible for us to buy more oil."

The president is frowning the frown of a man who has seen the end of the tunnel and observed that there is no light there. "Isn't that dumb?"

"Ah, but you forget, Mr. President" — Henry Kissinger is smiling the smile of the man holding all the trumps — "you forget that our policy is peace."

"Do you mean, Henry . . .?"

"Don't you see, Mr. President?" (Secretary of Defense Schlesinger is showing him the light.) "With Henry, you have the world's most prodigious peace maker. Once the war occurs, he will once again be able to fly into the night to make the peace, a task at which he has no equal, and once again our policy of peace will make itself felt throughout the vast and oil-rich Oval Middle East."

"I see." The scales are falling from the president's eyes. "And in order to make the new peace, we will have to sell them more materiel to make war and then . . ."

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"Exactly, Mr. President." It is the famous Oval Simon and he is smiling. "Life goes on, as the philosopher Beatles observed. Ob-la-di, ob-la-da."

The president is smiling. Mr. Kissinger is smiling. Mr. Schlesinger is smiling. Mr. Simon is smiling. Are you not smiling? Is it not a pleasingly famous Oval Policy?

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Oil Sands 'Rescue' Offers

CALGARY (CP) — The federal and Alberta governments have offered to rescue an oil sands project in northeastern Alberta following the withdrawal Friday of Atlantic Richfield Canada Ltd. (ARCO) from the Syncrude consortium.

But John Poyen, president of the Canadian Petroleum Association, said oil sands development, "key to Canada's energy self-sufficiency," has been jeopardized by the "short-term, politically-expedient" policies of the two levels of government.

While ARCO announced its withdrawal from Syncrude Canada Ltd., which has been building a 125,000-barrel-a-day plant in the Athabasca oil sands since September, 1973, Home Oil Co. Ltd. said it may not be able to launch its proposed oil sands plant.

ARCO, which owned a 30-per-cent interest in Syncrude, cited rising costs and uncertainty over oil prices as the major reasons for its decision.

Energy Minister Donald Macdonald said in Ottawa that he made a proposal for the federal government to invest in Syncrude to Alberta Mines Minister Bill Dickie, who was attending the federal-provincial mines ministers' meeting.

Macdonald did not say whether Ottawa offered to pick up the full 30-per-cent interest withdrawn by ARCO. "We talked in general terms and Mr. Dickie said he will discuss the matter wih his colleagues."

Premier Peter Lougheed, whose government holds an option through Alberta Energy Co. to buy 20-per-cent interest in Syncrude, said immediate increase in the domestic price of oil, currently at $6.50 a barrel compared to $11.70 for oil exported to the United States, would encourage companies in oil sands development.

Gordon Miniely, Alberta treasurer, said the province may consider taking over ARCO's share of the Syncrude project.

David Mitchell, president of the Alberta Energy Co., said there is nothing to prevent the company from picking up ARCO's interest.

ARCO's withdrawal leaves Imperial Oil Ltd., Canada-Cities Service Ltd. and Gulf Oil Canada Ltd., with interests of 30 per cent, 30 per cent and 10 per cent, respectively, in Syncrude.

In Toronto, Gulf president Jerry McAfee said the three remaining partners "are interested in seeing the project continue." The Synrude group already has spent more than $100 million.

Imperial, Canada-Cities and Gulf have scheduled a meeting with the Alberta cabinet Tuesday to discuss Syncrude's future.

RHODESIA TRUCE SET?

LONDON (AFP) — The Times says Rhodesian Prime Minister Ian Smith may announce a ceasefire Sunday night between Rhodesian security forces and African nationalist guerrillas operating in the northern part of the country.

In a front page story quoting "sources close to the Rhodesian government," the newspaper says Smith plans to make an "important broadcast" on television Sunday night during which he would present the ceasefire as the "first stage" toward a "final agreement" between Rhodesia, South Africa and the African states "north of the Zambezi."

The two African leaders from Rhodesia who attended the meeting of African leaders in Lusaka this week, Joshua Nkomo of the Zimbawe African People's Union and Ndabaningi Sithole of the Zimbawe African National Union, may also make an "important statement" about a ceasefire, the Times says.

Countering that optimistic forecast, however, the Rhodesian government today rejected a black nationalist demand that immediate black majority rule be a precondition for holding a constitutional conference.

In a press statement the government of Prime Minister Ian Smith said that talks had been held this week in Lusaka, the capital of Zambia, between three African presidents and Rhodesian black nationalist leaders.

It said the Rhodesian government had agreed to hold a constitutional conference if certain conditions were met, including a cessation of hostilities by two guerrilla groups — the Zimbawe African Peoples Union ZAPU and the Zimbawe African National Union (ZANU).

The statement said a meeting was held Friday between the three African presidents — Keneth Kaunda of Zambia, Julius Nyerere of Tanzania and Sir Seretse Khama of Botswana — and representatives of the Rhodesian government.

Many U.S. Miners Stay Out

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — Although a new U.S. coal contract was officially ratified at midnight Thursday, several dissident groups of miners have refused to report for work.

Many miners in Illinois and southern West Virginia were absent on Friday as their shifts, first since the nationwide walkout began Nov. 12, resumed.

Full-scale production in United Mine Workers (UMW) mines throughout the U.S. is scheduled to resume with the midnight shift Sunday.

Picket lines were formed outside UMW mines in Illinois by some of the 4,400 construction workers still negotiating a contract with the Association of Bituminous Contractors, the bargaining arm for the industry's construction workers. One Illinois construction worker placed a newspaper ad asking miners to stay off the job in sympathy.

UMW president Arnold Miller asked that construction workers not interfere with returning miners. He said the UMW might be sued and might possibly be liable for damages.

In southern West Virginia's District 29, many miners were debating whether to continue the strike because the approved contract did not include a provision granting the right to strike over local issues.

Meanwhile, coal-related industries such as steel and rails began making plans for a resumption of operation. Rail cars were moved into position to haul coal after the ratification announcement was made Thursday.

TOO MUCH CUB, almost, for Jeannie, the mother Bengal tiger at Sacramento, Calif. zoo, is the four-month-old and fast-growing kitten which is getting a ride of sorts.

Trudeau Scalds Blakeney

REGINA (CP)—Prime Minister Trudeau stepped before a friendly audience of Saskatchewan Liberals Friday night ot deliver a stinging rebuttal to Premier Allan Blakeney's criticism of federal resource taxation policies.

He said the New Democrat premier is trying to divert attention from provincial issues by attacking the federal government—"an old trick of uncertain leaders"—and remarked that former fascist dictator Benito Mussolini followed similar principles when he invaded Ethiopia.

Prime Minster Trudeau said he does not want to get involved in provincial politics but could not let Premier Blakeney's assertions go unchallenged:

"I want to set the facts right and put the record straight because if there is a provincial election I want him to be forced to fight that election on provincial grounds, not on federal grounds."

Trudeau also took aim at Conservative Leader Robert Stanfield, saying that neither Blakeney nor Alberta Premier Peter Lougheed have to the prime minister's knowledge charged the federal government with bad faith, as the Conservative leader has.

"If we are going to remain strong as a country," Trudeau said, "federal-provincial differences are going to have to be hammered out on the basis of a fundamental belief in the other fellow's honesty."

To counter Premier Blakeney's charges that the latest federal budget violates the oil-pricing agreement negotiated at a march federal-provincial conference, the prime minister gave a lengthy statistical and historical summary of the resource taxation system, read quotations from Ottawa-Saskatchewan correspondence, and gave a discourse on the meaning of "fairness."

Through it all, he kept the attention and periodic applause of the audience of more than 1,200, most of whom came from the provincial Liberal convention being held in Regina.

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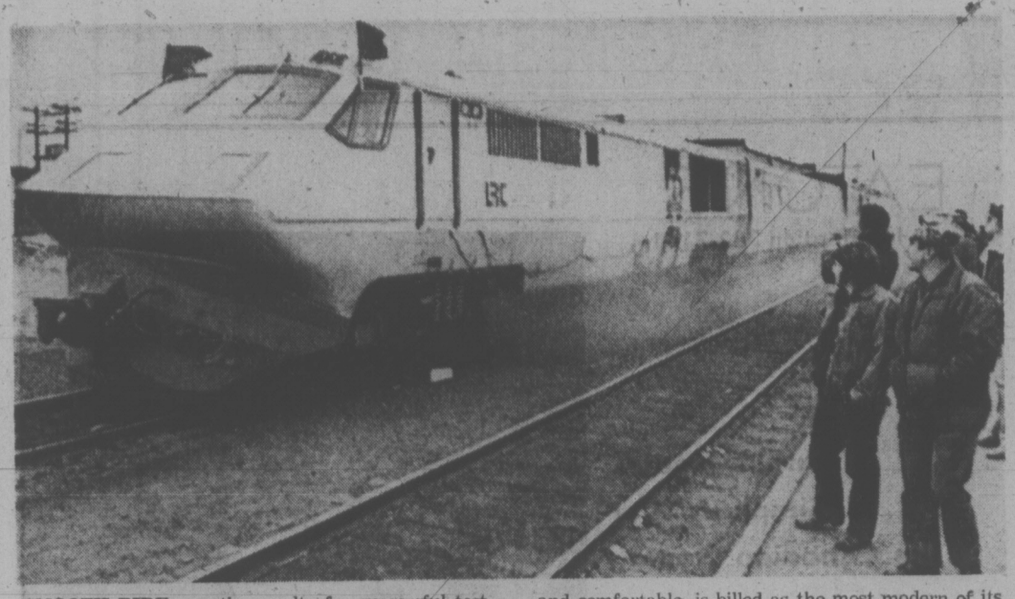

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Whitlam Gov't Clubbed

BRISBANE (Reuter) — Voters in Australia's Queensland state dealt a stunning blow to Prime Minister Gough Whitlam and his federal Labor administration by a massive swing to the right in today's election for a new state Parliament.

With more than 80 per cent of the vote counted, Queensland Labor Leader Percy Tucker conceded defeat in face of the loss of at least 22 seats to the right-wing National and Liberal parties.

More than 1,180,000 voters went to the polls throughout the huge Northern Australian state in what was effectively the first electoral test of the popularity of Whitlam's government since it narrowly retained federal power in general elections last May.

IRON NATIONALIZED

CARACAS (AP) — President Carlos Andres Perez announced today that, effective Jan. 1, the Venezuelan government will nationalize the iron mining industry now operated by subsidiaries of U.S. Steel and Bethlehem Steel.

The takeover is expected to serve as a model for the nationalization later next year of the more import oil industry.

Perez said in a speech to congress that compensation would not exceed the net book value of the iron mining holdings but gave no specific figure. Payment is to be made over 10 years in government bonds at seven-per-cent interest.

Argenis Gamboa, president of the Venezuelan Guayana Corp., a regional development agency, announced earlier that $87 million would be paid to Orinoco mining, the U.S. Steel subsidiary, and $13 million to Iron Mines Co., which belongs to Bethlehem.

Spokesmen for both companies said at their headquarter in Pittsburgh, Pa., they had been expecting the announcement for some time.

The U.S. produces about 87 million long tons of iron ore a year, or about two-thirds of the iron ore used by its steel industry. Imports provide the rest, of which half come from Canada — 21.6 million long tons last year — followed by 13 million from Venezuela, according to figures released by the American Iron Ore Association. Industry sources say it sells for $15 to $17 a ton in the United States. A long ton is 2,250 pounds.

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Cabinet Gifts Okay—Sharp

By IAIN HUNTER

OTTAWA — Acting Prime Minister Mitchell Sharp declared Friday that cabinet ministers are as free to accept campaign donations from any source as ordianry MP's are.

He stated in the House of Commons that the same standards apply to members of cabinet in receiving campaign contributions as any other candidates seeking election.

However, opposition MP's, continuing their demand for a public inquiry into links between the cabinet and the Seafarers' international Union, refused to accept Sharp's argument.

"It has become abundantly clear," stated Pat Nowlan (PC — Annapolis Valley), "that the political morality of this government is about as deep as a dishpan full of dirty water."

Although the opposition had been hammering the government in the Commons all week following allegations in the Ontario legislature that the SIU claims to have a senior cabinet minister in its pocket, the Liberals insisted there is not sufficient evidence so far to warrant the public inquiry sought by the opposition.

Sharp stated Friday that Justice Minister Otto Lang is still trying to get from Ontario and Toronto police authorities all evidence they have concerning alleged violence and intimidation in the federally-chartered union and any links between the SIU and federal cabinet ministers.

Labor Minister John Munro, Solicitor General Warren Allmand and a number of other ministers already have admitted receiving campaign donations from the union. The labor minister has stated he returned his $500 donation to the SIU after the July 8 election.

Asked whether he approves of Munro accepting a contributon from a union with which he has to deal as minsiter of labor, Sharp in an interview argued that during an election campaign it is not clear who will be labor minister after election day.

"Who is going to be minister of labor? he asked.

In the Commons the acting prime minister said that the morality of cabinet ministers is no greater than the morality of members of the House as a whole.

"We must act with integrity and refuse to be bought and never be under the influence of money or anything else," he said.

"I attribute no such motive to my honorable friend Nowlan," he added. "I hope he does not attribute them to any of the rest of us."

Nowlan, however, pointed out that even when Parliament is dissolved for an election, ministers of the Crown continue in office until a new government is sworn in. He was arguing that Munro was labor minister at the time he received the donation from the union under federal jurisdiction.

"If the acting prime minister does not know that elementary fact of political science, it is no wonder that we see this most improvident government," Nowlan snapped.

Munro in the House Friday explained for the first time why he decided to return the SIU donation after the election.

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Tax Forms 'Disappointing'

By AL FORREST
Times Staff

The new improved income tax forms coming out next month will be no bigger than the 1973 model—but a little more complicated.

The Times got an advance look at the 1974 forms and found them disappointing.

For every new tax benefit, an additional series of calculations will be necessary.

Like last year, the new forms are basically four pages plus eight pages of special calculations.

The changes:

—Personal exemptions have been increased.

—But family allowances become taxable.

—Up to $1,000 in interest income is exempt from taxation.

—Up to $1,000 can be deducted if you set aside that amount to buy a house, provided you did not own or partly own a house at any time in 1974.

—Up to $500 can be deducted as a result of contributions to a federal political party.

The interest calculations are a major disappointment. Persons earning less than $1,000 in 1974 in interest income (bank deposits, bonds, etc.) must still work out a full page of calculations despite the fact the income is not subject to tax.

The new higher exemptions for dependent children are also disappointing in two ways.

They complicate the form and they cost the taxpayer more than last year.

In 1973 a child under 16 was worth a deduction of $300. On the new form, the child is worth $320 minus his family allowance income of $240 ($20 per month) for a net deduction of only $80. The government giveth and the government taketh away.

And the taxpayer claiming the child must include the new form TFA1 showing the income from family allowances. The form comes automatically from the federal health and welfare department early in 1975.

In the event both parents are working and each claims a child, both parents must write a covering letter to explain why the deduction claimed does not match the amount on the TFA1 form.

Otherwise, the personal exemptions are improved.

The taxpayer's own exemption will be increased to $1,706 from $1,600. Taxpayers over 65 can claim an additional $1,066, up from $1,000. Exemption for a dependent spouse goes to $1,492 from $1,400.

The exemption for children over 16 goes to $586 from $550 and for under 16 to $320 from $300. Net exemptions for children, of course, are reduced because of the provision for taxing family allowances in 1974.

Most interesting of the changes is the deduction for registered home ownership savings plans.

The legislation is still at the proposal stage and is subject to possible amendment by the House of Commons but there is no indication of any changes at this time.

The proposal, as outlined in the new forms, says:

"Contributions paid by an individual under a registered home ownership savings plan during the year and within 60 days thereafter may be claimed as a deduction.

"The amount claimed must be supported by a receipt which will be issued by the vendor of the plan.

"The allowable deduction in 1974 is the amount contributed up to a maximum of $1,000 provided the contributor did not own in the year an interest in real property in which anyone resided.

"Contribution limits are $1,000 per year and are limited in total to $10,000 contributed in 1974 and subsequent years.

"Contributions to the plan may be withdrawn tax free by way of single payment if used to purchase an owner-occupied home or home furnishings for your owner-occupied home or that of your spouse."

Contributions later withdrawn and not used for the intended purpose are subject to income tax unless used to buy a registered retirement plan or some form of income averaging annuity.

The new tax benefit is known unofficially as the divorce gamble, because it permits an executive to start a home ownership plan against 1975 taxes if he signs his house over to his wife before Jan. 1.

With the house in his wife's name, he will be eligible for the tax benefit but also encounters the risk of losing the whole house in the event of a divorce.

The same risk faces a woman assigning a jointly-owned house to her husband so she can start a home ownership tax savings plan.

The taxpayer must intend to live in the house he buys with the funds.

The tax shelter is a once-in-a-lifetime plan. If after two years, the taxpayer pulls out his $2,000 he can not later begin another home ownership plan.

The new forms permit a $500 deduction for donations to federal political parties, but more then $500 must be donated to get it.

A rather complicated formula works out to a donation of $1,150 to arrive at the maximum tax allowance of $500.

Two Firms' Funds Stolen

A purse containing the day's receipts from two businesses was stolen Thursday, city police said Friday.

The purse, owned by Valerie Harris, the proprietor of One Hour Martinizing Dry Cleaning and Yarn Barn at 1771 Fort, contained $310 in cash from the businesses, as well as $30 in personal money, a watch, and cards. It had been left in a sewing desk.

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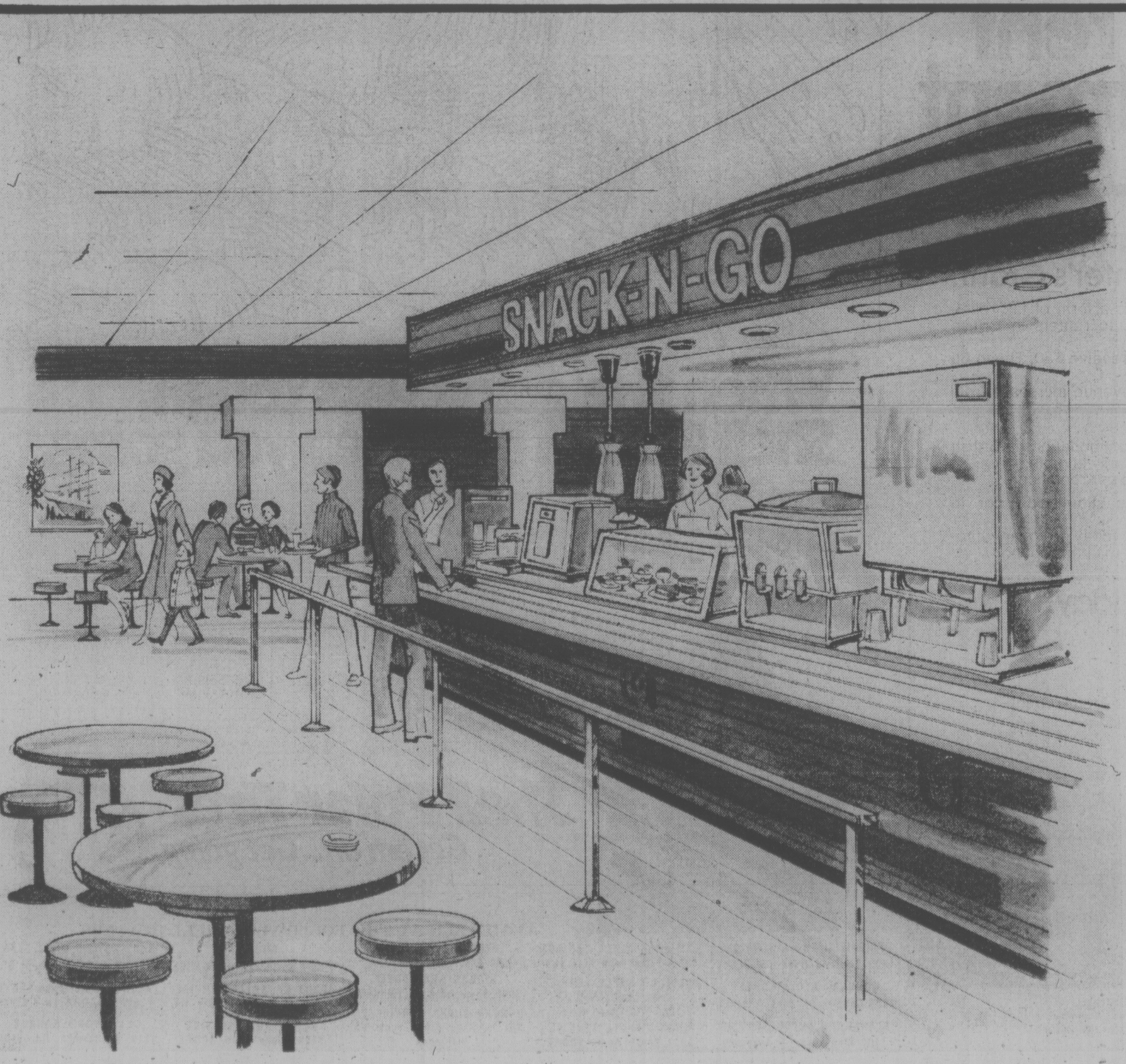

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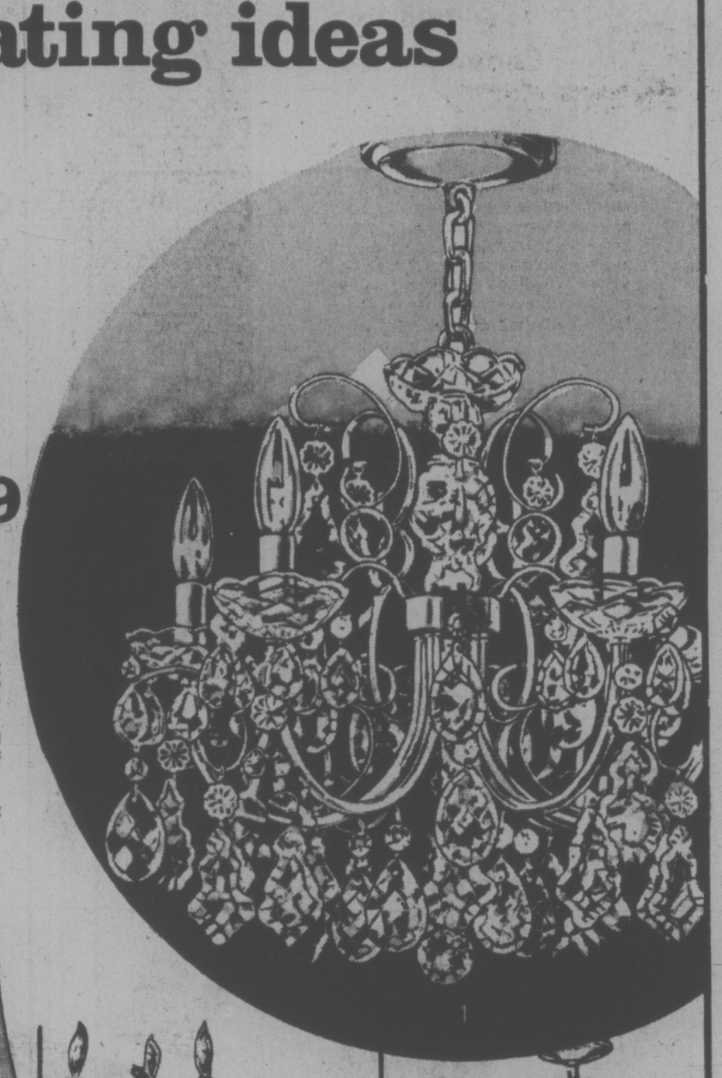

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BEFORE THE JUDGE

Bail for "one of Canada's greatest living poets," charged with three counts of armed robbery, was cut in half in Victoria provincial court Friday.

Bail for Henry Frank Guiney, 42, of 304 Oswego, charged with armed robbery at the Criterion Club, 562 Yates, Sept. 5 of the club's owner Lester Hanson and two patrons, was reduced from $15,000 to $7,500.

A total of $1,670 was taken in the robbery.

Judge William Ostler said he would reduce the bail because another man, Leo Arnold Baker, 24, of 885 Craigflower, who was charged along with Guiney had his bail reduced earlier this week by a county court judge.

A letter read in court from National Film Board director Steven Regina-Thon, described Guiney as "one of Canada's greatest living poets."

Another letter, from an associate law professor at Dalhousie University in Halifax, said Guiney had become a paralegal assistant since his last release from prison, working with a lawyer to help inmates of federal prisons in the Maritimes.

Brian McAsey, Guiney's lawyer, told Judge Ostler that Guiney had a criminal record and became addicted to heroin about 20 years ago.

Both Guiney and Baker chose trial in a higher court and preliminary hearing dates were set for Jan. 2 and 3.

Neither Guiney nor Baker was able to raise bail at the original amount, set at $15,000 for Guiney and $10,000 for Baker. Baker's is now set at $5,000.

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A 21-year-old man was remanded to today to be sentenced for a break-in committed at Dalby's Pharmacy, 3828 Cadboro Bay, Monday.

Jeffrey Mair, 225 Island Highway, pleaded guilty.

Prosecutor Macdonald said Mair removed a drawer in the pharmacy containing a quantity of narcotics. A small amount was recovered by police in Mair's motel suite.

Mair, charged with the burglary at the court's afternoon session, had been charged in the morning with not having a firearm permit, having no B.C. licence plates, misuse of plates and driving without insurance.

He was remanded for trial to March 14 on the permit offence, and to the same day for sentencing on the other matters.

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Robert Harold English, 26, of no fixed address, and Darlene Mae Gardiner, 22, of 559 Lampson, were remanded in custody following a bail hearing to Monday for further hearing into a charge of possessing heroin for the purpose of trafficking Wednesday.

Information geven to the court at the hearing was banned from publication.

The preliminary hearing of Rockerick Welford MacKenzie, 36, of 2638 Florence Lake, into a charge of planting an explosive device on the parking lot of Gordon's Towing, 1618 Store, Aug. 30 was adjourned to Dec. 23.

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Donald Ernest Charlton, 17, and David Anthony Harper, both of Nanaimo, were given suspended sentences and put on six months' probation for stealing binoculars, matches, and a partly filled bottle of whisky from a car on a Cook Street parking lot Nov. 17. They pleaded guilty.

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A $100 fine and six months' probation was given to Brian Lewis Jensen, 17, of Cobble Hill, who pleaded guilty earlier to theft.

Jensen was found by police Nov. 17 removing the rear tire from a vehicle at the Belmont Towing parking lot, 1812 Old Island Highway.

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In shoplifting cases, Lorraine Lea Elhatton, 19, of 3483 Metchosin, was given a suspended sentence and put on six months' probation for stealing a can opener and cigarettes worth $5.94 from Canada Safeway, 1950 Foul Bay, and, Carl Benn, 60, of 979 Lodge, was fined $100 for stealing a pair of pliers worth $1.88 from Woolco, 3601 Douglas.

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Owen Lawrence Pallot, 24, of no fixed address, was fined $75 for possessing marijuana, and Richard John Holman, 25, of 727 Denman, received a suspended sentence and was given six months' probation for the same offence.

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For being in the care or control of a motor vehicle while impaired, Norman Roy Hogan, 42, 635 Roseridge, received a $300 fine and will be reported to the superintendent of motor vehicles, and Thomas Edward Drysdale, 61, of 691 Hoy Lake, was fined $450 and banned from driving for four months for driving with a blood-alcohol level of more than .08 per cent.

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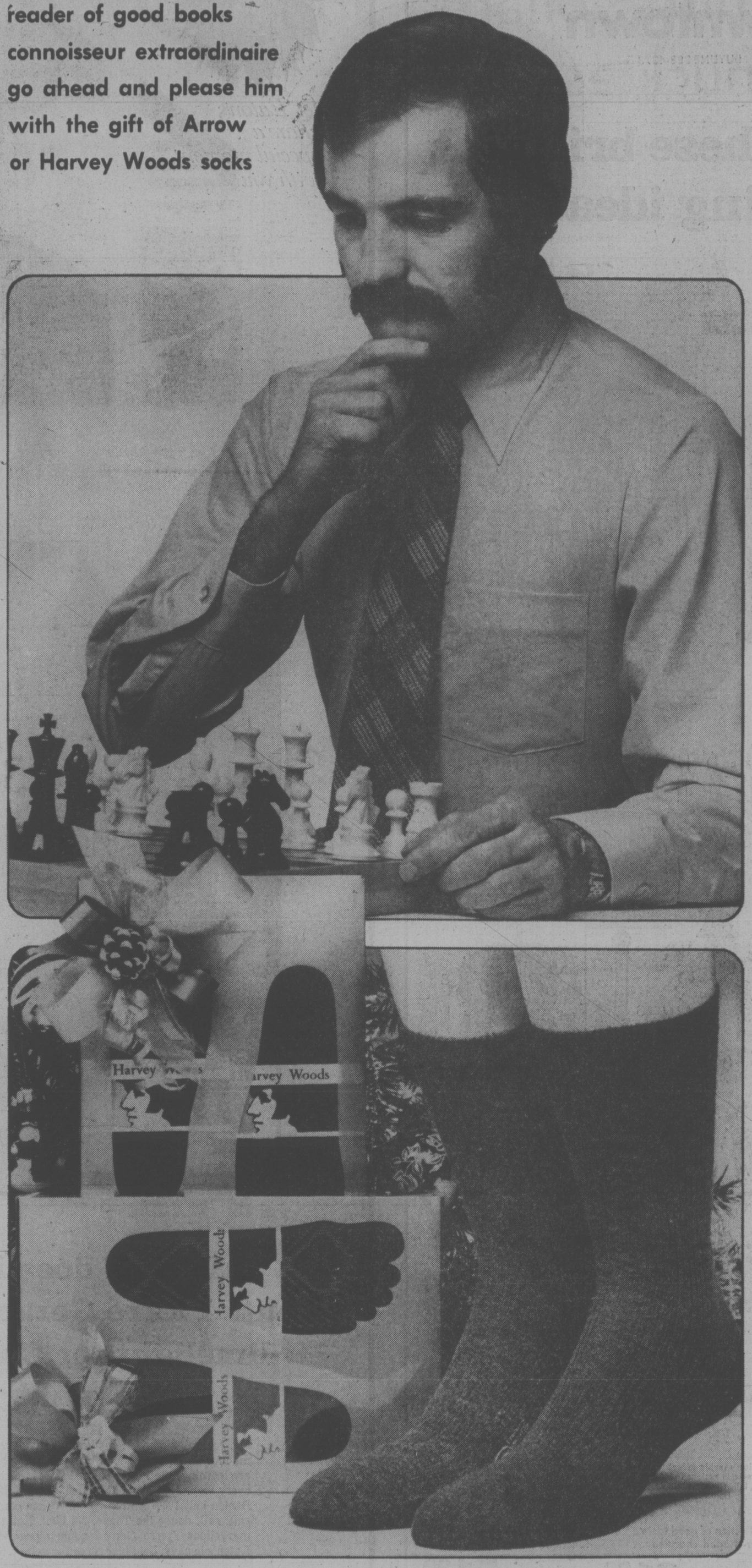

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Then you squeeze between two sad faces that line the walls and sit and fidget. You try to read the Road Code once again to make sure you know all the answers. But that's no good. You really can't see the words and you're quite sure anyway that you don't know any of the answers.

You should have stayed at home.

Behind the form-wielding woman, you can see applicants sitting at little school-like desks, struggling to answer the written part of the test. They don't look any happier than you feel.

"We'll call you," the voice tells another hopeful and dispatches him toward the wall. And you sit there cursing because you have to wait so long; and at the same time hoping that it certainly isn't you they'll call next.

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Along with waiting in a dentist's reception room, preparing for a driving examination is probably one of the most nerve-wracking things you can do. Ask Glen Standen, assistant chief examiner at the Menzies Street Motor Vehicle office, and he'll tell you he's seen people taking their test, sitting with their feet on the clutch and brake pedals "and their legs are bouncing up and down, they are so nervous."

But what of the examiners — there are nine in the Victoria office including supervisor Bill Harbar, who has been there 20 years — what of the men who have to venture out in cars with many who are nervous novices? Aren't they nervous, too, sometimes? Sure, says Robert Whitlock, deputy superintendent of motor vehicles. Many examiners have nervous conditions and, in fact, quite often trainee examiners have to drop out because they just can't take it.

Quite recently in Nova Scotia, an examiner had a driver-applicant die of a heart attack at the wheel one morning and that afternoon a woman taking her test drove him off the road and on to the middle of someone's lawn. That evening at a social function a woman accused the examiner: "You civil servants have an easy life!"

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Right now, Standen sits behind a desk and with his boss, chief examiner Glen Barter, handles the administration of the driver testing program. But Standen, who has been with the Motor Vehicle Branch 15 years, spent six years on the road as an examiner and he knows what it's like. He says the worst fault is failure to pay enough attention to pedestrians and other cars at crossings and tells of the time when he was taking a young woman for her test in a mini. "She pulled up at the crossing, looked left, looked right and looked left again and then proceeded to cross in front of a huge lumber truck! I had to jam my foot on the brake pedal and stopped just in time. How she didn't see it I'll never know."

Of course, there have been many other harrowing incidents experienced by Victoria examiners. One had an elderly driver die of a heart attack while the car was going down a steep hill; and another car rolled over during a test and went down a bank into someone's yard. And over in Vancouver once, a driver taking his test crashed his vehicle right through the wall of one of the motor vehicle offices. But this kind of thing doesn't happen as much any more. The examiners have been told to take control of the car if an accident looks imminent. And says Standen, most examiners have had to do this.

There are four reasons for immediate disqualification: violation of the laws (breaking the speed limit, etc.), refusal to perform (if a driver says he can't or won't do part of the road test), causing an accident, even though not necessarily being involved in it (if, say, a driver swerves to avoid you and smashes into another car) and dangerous action (if, for example, a pedestrian has to scamper to get out of your way). When an applicant does any of these things, the rest of the test is abandoned. "Of course, Standen grinned, "the examiner doesn't tell the driver right then that he has failed. He just says turn right, then left or whatever he has to in order to return to the testing station — otherwise the applicant would be upset and might have another accident on the way back."

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What do they look for when choosing an examiner A background in driving helps, points out Whitlock "and we quite often get a few ex-bus drivers apply." The ideal examiner must be pleasant under some harrowing conditions and be able to tell people what they did wrong in a manner they will accept.

Many drivers just don't want to accept the fact that they're not ready to drive safely on the road, says Standen. "We had a man in Williams Lake who has failed five times but keeps coming back, so the examiners there sent his application form down to our head office. We told him to take professional driving instruction before applying again. He did. And he's just failed again!" Standen points out that it's a matter of attitude. "Nine out of 10 people can learn to drive if they have proper instruction and will only pay attention," he says.

Appearance, says Whitlock, is another thing to consider when choosing an examiner. "People judge a man by his appearance and his facial expressions. We've had competent examiners who have been accused of being harsh or stern but, by the number they pass, they are not."

In many people's minds, an examiner assumes the guise of an ogre. He is the only thing standing between them and the freedom to drive off into the sunset. But the examiner is caught in the middle. As Standen puts it: If the examiner disqualifies a driver, for something the driver himself has done wrong, he's a real stinker; if he passes someone, he's a real nice guy."

And, as you walk downstairs to the crowded little room where it's busy, busy as always and look in at the sadness and apprehension that lines the walls, Standen's final words echo in your head ". . . we are here to serve the public, not to scare hell out of the guy trying to get his licence."

John McKay Photos

Examiner George Bricker and Eldon Miller . . . double tension

Student Housing Needs Studied

Trends in student housing at the University of Victoria will be the subject of a study initiated by the Universities Council of B.C.

Planning consultants Graham Brawn and Associates Ltd. of Vancouver have been hired by the council to analyse housing trends at the province's three universities — UVic, University of B.C. and Simon Fraser University.

Consultant Jim Marunchak said Friday the study will determine what percentage of students entering the university community are single, married, married with families, or single parents, and thereby isolate the type of housing which should be built.

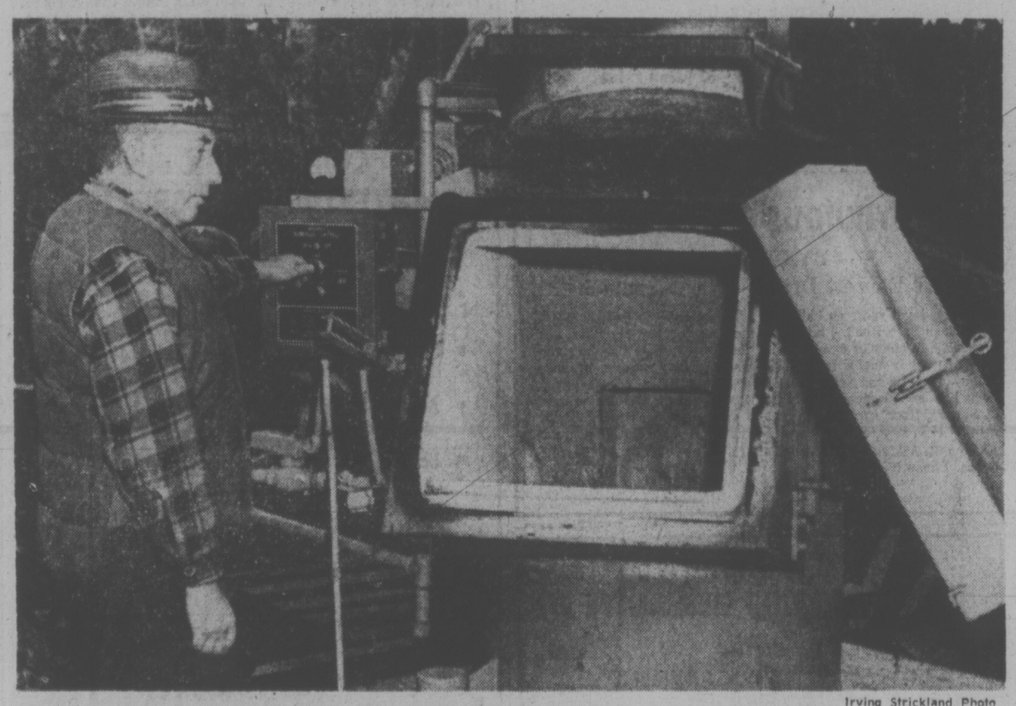
Shirley Baker, manager of UVic's housing services department, said definite trends in student housing preference have been evident over the past five years.

"We've found that many, many people come back to our residences. Not everybody is anxious to cook his own meals in his own place," she said.

She said the demand for on-campus accommodation is increasing every year, partly because of an increase in the student population but also "because it's easier for someone on a fixed budget to live in a residence and know from the start how much he will spend."

The on-campus housing demand has also been helped along by changes in residence-living.

"There used to be restrictions in residences that have now been done away with," Mrs. Baker said.



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Sam Spence and his $6,000 'pathological crematorium'

19 Groups Get $322,687 From Latest L.I.P. Grants

Nineteen Local Initiative Program grants totalling $322,687 have been approved in the Victoria area by the department of manpower and immigration.

The projects, which vary from rehabilitation of existing houses to organization of a neighborhood activities centre, will create 2,349 weeks of employment throughout the winter.

A breakdown of individual projects and their finances follows:

—Victoria West Life Skills, $21,290, six jobs to organize a "life skills" program for youth increasing personal awareness in interpersonal relations, family life, leisure time, community development and responsibilities and employment.

—Tapes for the Blind and Handicapped, $10,686, three jobs, to provide a taping service for technical books, magazines and material requested for the blind and handicapped.

—Victoria Volunteer Bureau, $17,912, five jobs; a pilot project to coordinate the needs of local service agencies with members of the community who wish to become volunteers.

—Fernwood Neighborhood Centre, $17,810, five jobs, to organize neighborhood activities including the survey of community needs, the upgrading of local newsletter and operation of a drop-in centre.

—Winter Recreational and Educational Fun Program, $21,372, six jobs, to organize recreational and educational activities for native Indian students including skating, swimming, dances and tutoring service for elementary grades.

—Curriculum Audio Tape, $10,677, three jobs, to provide cassette tapes of elementary school curriculum geared for students who have reading difficulties.

—Rehabilitation Preservation Project, $20,585, seven jobs, to rehabilitate existing houses in the James Bay area, and provide duplex and triplex accommodation for rent to low-income families.

—Discovery, $17,810, five jobs, to organize art classes for children between the ages of two to 12 years at the Emily Carr Arts Centre with extension programs in Sidney.

—Kaleidoscope, $32,708, nine jobs, to provide a cultural awareness program for children through the production of plays theatre workshops and visits to community cultural centres.

—Open Space, $21,363, six jobs to expand services of Open Space, to include the organization of the B.C. Winter Festival and develop a media resource program covering artistic events.

—YM-YWCA Outdoor Education Resources, $14,248, four jobs, to organize various activities in outdoor education including an outdoor education kit for youth and schools and a farm project at Camp Thunderbird.

—Archives Research, $17,810, five jobs to research the records of the B.C. Land Investment Agency including the cataloguing and examination of the financial side of the firm's history.

—Community Service Survey, $19,728, six jobs to conduct a survey identifying existing social recreational and educational services and assess the gaps in these services for the Oak Bay area.

—Program of Newton Recreation Society, $10,686, three jobs, to promote family as well as adult and children's recreation in Victoria.

—Pathways for People, $12,489, four jobs, to provide a program assisting mental patients and those with emotional probelms in areas of education, recreation and community orientation. A housing registry and accommodation service will also be provided.

—Recreation Outreach, $13,134, four jobs, to provide extended recreational programs for senior citizens and youth.

—Portable Large Muscle Equipment for Sundance Elementary School, $15,529, six jobs, to design and construct portable exercise equipment.

—Health Care for Seniors, $9,453, three jobs to provide preventive health care training for senior citizens including nutrition, home nursing, personal health and hygiene.

—The Old Millstream Music Company, $17,947, six jobs, to provide live entertainment of old time music to elderly patients in hospitals, nursing homes and old-age homes.

Ask The Times

Q. Does the drain tile (which collects the rain water around the house) connect up with the storm drain or does this connect to a separate line leading to the catch basins which are at the end and middle of the curbing. This pertains to Saanich municipality.

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A. There is no uniform storm drain system in Saanich, and there are many non-conforming systems used in different parts of the municipality. Contact the Saanich engineering department giving your exact address and they can provide the information for that area.

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Everything Isn't Tickety-Boo on Way to Pet Heaven

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

As the little old lady walks weeping out of the veterinarian's surgery she takes a last look at the dog who has been her faithful companion for years.

Then, outside, a thought strikes her. She turns to the receptionist and asks what happens after the animal is put down.

Reassuringly, she is told: "Don't you worry about a thing. Leave everything to us, dear, we'll do what has to be done."

That sort of scene is a several-times-daily occurrence in veterinary clinics all over Greater Victoria, says dog breeder and kennel owner Sam Spence, and the comforting words do seem to achieve the desired effect.

"Some people think as soon as they've left he (the vet) presses a button, a hole opens up in the floor and — bingo — the dog's in heaven and everything's neat and clean and tidy."

But what actually happens in most cases, after the animal is destroyed, is somewhat different. As Spence put it: "The owners would be pretty shocked and sickened if they knew the bodies were just dumped on the garbage truck."

For both practical reasons of hygiene and on ethical grounds, Sam Spence and his wife Carrie deplore the practice, which is why they have opened Vancouver Island's first pet crematorium, on their 3½-acre property at 60 Highland Road.

The impressive-looking piece of equipment, 18 feet high with a towering stack, had to be ordered from a firm in West Virginia at a cost of about $6,000.

It's specially made for the job — a "pathological crematorium," as Spence explained — propane-fired, generates 350,000 BTUs in the burning chamber and can reduce a 60-pound carcass to fine, powdery ash in one hour.

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Spence claims it's smokeless and odor-free, although red tape formalities delayed a pollution permit for close to seven months.

Since the couple started operating the service last September they have signed up three veterinary clinics and the recently-opened Central Victoria Veterinary Hospital as clients.

But that still leaves a number of veterinary establishments that favor disposal via the garbage dump, he says.

His standard charge for the service is $10 per load collected from the clinics. For private customers whose pets have died from illness or in a road accident, it's $25 for an animal up to 50 pounds and proportionately more for heavier pets. An 80-pound Samoyed, for example, would cost $30.

Owners receive a miniature urn containing the ashes. Attached to the neck of the urn is a little card bearing the animal's name and the inscription "Faithful to the End."

The Spences laugh and shake their heads when a reporter asks if they aspire to a full-blown pets' funeral parlor. But they have heard of someone in Eastern Canada who provides all the frills, including elaborate miniature coffins, and whose fees start at around $300.

What happens, though, if an eccentric pet-mourner requests a form of funeral service — bearing in mind religious beliefs that animals have no souls? Again, Spence shrugs. But he doesn't dismiss the notion entirely.

Their main concern is with providing a quick, efficient and hygienic disposal system for dead animals; one that won't offend their owners' sensibilities.

Said Mrs. Spence: "Long before we had the cremation equipment we discovered what a problem this was. We used to have people phone us in tears, wondering what to do with animals that had died. For an old person living alone in an apartment it's a real problem."

Her husband said they did consider setting aside a portion of their property as a pet cemetery, but dismissed the idea as impractical because "the family might want to bring flowers and have a Sunday picnic round the dog's grave."

Both feel strongly that treating animal corpses as just so much garbage reflects primitive thinking for an advanced country like Canada, and say the practice should be condemned on health considerations alone.

But city engineer Jim Garnett disagrees that it is unhygienic. At all times from collection, to dumping in trailers at the city garbage wharf on Herald Street and finally to delivery at the Hartland Road garbage dump, the carcasses are kept covered, he said.

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And as soon as the loads arrive at the dump their contents are buried by bulldozers. "The whole procedure is entirely sanitary," Garnett insisted.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, which destroys more than 30 dogs every week, makes its own regular disposal run to the city's garbage wharf.

SPCA manager Dave Becching said five or six years ago the society proposed building its own cremation plant at a cost of about $10,000, but asked the city of Victoria to share 50-50 the estimated operating cost of about $200 per month.

"The city turned it down flat."

With the organization facing an $8,000 operating loss this year, it has no alternative but to continue its present practice, he said.

WEEK'S RANGE AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER WEEKLY STOCK QUOTES
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Quotations in cents unless marked $. Odd lot sales marked z. Net change is from last week's close of same lot type.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge	1974 High	1974 Low
MINES							
Aalenlen	8500	18	16	16	−1	50	14
Aber. Mrls	1231	11	7	11	−1	39	7
Accent Res	1100	4½	4½	4½		18½	3
Achron	26000	14½	12	13	+1	38	10½
Adanac	100	18	18	18		50	18
Adonis	4500	8	7	7	+1	46	4½
Aer	17750	190	165	166	+1	600	125
Afton	2400	275	245	245	−55	10	245
Alberni	12000	9	8	9		65	5
Alets	17000	23	22	23		23	13½
Alice Lk	2000	16	16	16	+1	39	14
Anchor	3500	3	3	3		10	3
Anglo Bo	92000	55	46	54	+4	87	16
Arcdia	23500	20	18	20	+2	79	14
Ardo	11000	3	3	3		14	3
Aringtn	4500	3	3	3		19	1
Arodien	738450	82	41	50	+4	82	24
Avino	17250	30	25	27	−2	78	22
Azure	8430	8	5	7½	− ½	25	5
Balfour	28000	24	17	19	−4	50	11
Barrier Rf	64100	110	80	102	−3	660	66
Bath N	25500	86	80	81	−4	280	62
Belcara	2000	6½	6½	6½		17	5
Benson	7500	15	12	15	+1	38	10
Beth Cop A	1000	925	925	925		16½	925
Billy Goat	2500	8	6	7	+1½	61	5
Bow Rvr	8100	25	22	23	+3	63	16
Bmeda	15500	29	24	24	−3	70	24
Brendon	21300	11	8	10		84	8
Bmac	12000	18	16	17	−3	65	15½
Bullion Mtn	13000	7	6	6	−1	35	6
BX Dev	95263	82	66	68	−3	215	45
Calivde	4750	20	13	13	−2	95	7
Cbrdg	3500	10	9	10		30	8
C Brrnca	5000	26	25	25	−1	48	14
Canol	2000	30	20	30	+15	85	15
Canwex	119000	24½	17	21	+2	50	10
Capri	1500	6	6	6		17	6
Cardigan	7200	5	2	5		16	2
Car Bell	1000	3	3	3	−3	24	3
Carolin	55500	210	186	207		320	55
C Cons	1000	6	6	6	+ ½	40	5
Casino	13600	18	15½	18	−2	65	15
Celtic Mln	3000	7	7	7		18	5
Chandelar	1500	50	45	50	+15	80	35
Charlte	35500	13	11	11	−3	36	6
Chatex	375	10	10	10	−1½	41	10
Chromx	41000	49	44	45		55	25
Cima Res	1237	35	30	35	+2	99	30
Citex	51000	3½	3	3		23	3
Colby Mns	655425	215	142	206	+45	215	57
Ciman B	800	725	700	725	−25	775	350
Col pre	1500	79	79	79	+1	85	38
Cit Res	43350	40	35	37	−3	97	30
Comet Ind	13000	55	50	55		114	30
Conoco	3000	5	5	5	−1	16	4
Con Bamt	485680	34	24	30	−3	52	13½
Con Bound	1332	12	10	10	−2	15	5
Cons Cst Sl	10000	12	10	11	−2	64	6
Cons Colum	2380	13	7	7	−4	42	7
C Frtn Ch	95000	12	10	10½	−1½	103	9
Cons Butt	2500	6½	6	6½	+ ½	21	4
C Stndrd	65000	11	4½	11	+6	24	4½
Cons Tran	1250	8	6	8		20	6
Copr Lak	20500	6½	5	5		45	5
Coralta	54327	27	24	25	−3	261	24
Cream	6000	14	12	14	+2	33	10
Ctias Expl	68650	22	15½	20	+2½	170	14½
Cypre Res	18100	46	38	40	−3	229	24
Dankoe	25360	210	200	200	−10	385	190
Darkhawk	3000	20	18	20	+2	54	15
Dav Kys	8300	22	20	22	+7	60	15
Dol Var	40100	17	17	17		78	14
Dus Mac	2000	28	26	26	−4	66	15
Dynsty	1100	700	675	700		11¼	650
Eagle R	2000	5	5	5	−1	12½	5
Enex	800	20	20	20	−5	65	20
Equat	3500	9½	9½	9½	+3½	23	6
Exeter Mns	19000	12	11	11		34½	9
Fosco Mng	44000	12	10½	11	− ½	72	10
Frntier	4000	4½	3½	3½		10	2
Gen Res	2000	4	2	4		8	1
Geo Dyn	66000	16½	9	15	+3	39	6
Giant Ex	13000	5	5	5	+2	19	3
Gnt Mas	1000	45	45	45		250	45
Giant Vent	10200	7	5	5		29	5
Gbrltar	1950	500	485	490	−10	12½	485
Gladiat	75500	11	8½	9	−1	40	8
G Gate	8500	22	20	20	−1	60	16
Gold River	6100	24	15	23	+8	150	14
Grandors	1308M	75	25½	56	−10	75	7
Granit Mtn	44000	7	$2	7	− ½	32	4
G N Pete	9000	8	7	8		30	5
Green Egle	616000	29½	11	22	−6	38	9
Gsa Res	13232	68	58	68		94	30
Gunn	4050	20	15	17½	−2½	80	15
Hallmark	5500	40	35	40	+5	95	18
Hart Rvr	6500	6	5	5	−1	18	4
Henriets	23000	21	19	20	−1	46	13
Hibernian	118000	22	16½	18	+3	70	10
Hilnd Lode	16500	4	3½	3½	− ½	15	3
Hihawk	20000	15	14	15	−3	44	12
Hmont	1000	75	75	75		225	72
Ice Station	500	7	7	7	−3	25	7
Imp Met	14000	18	16	18	+3	32	15
Initial	6300	16	13	15	−2	50	13
Inland Cop	8000	5½	3½	3½	−2½	22	3
Iskut	2000	5	5	5	+ ¼	14	2
Jackpot	81000	12	6½	8	+1	22	5
Jason Ex	1500	3	3	3		8	3
Jersey	1000	10	10	10		13	5
Joy Ind Ltd	5000	51	50	50		101	50
Kalco	25500	8	6	8	+1	20½	3
Kamad	35500	23	12	14	−10	72	12
Klondex	20900	77	68	70	−3	85	68
Laguna	22000	11	8	11	+3	115	7
L Bvrhs	7500	6	6	6		15	6
Largo	2000	5	5	5		14	4
Laronge	5500	8½	7	8½	+1½	29	7
Laura	19000	14	10	10	−3	37	7½
Leemac	17550	9	6	8		35	6
Leisure	25000	28	23	24	−3	101	17
Lxnton	5000	8	5½	8	+2½	18	4
Lone Creek	4000	20	10	10		28	10
Lori Explor	18000	18	17	17½	−1½	36	11
Lornex	54100	425	405	405	−10	11	405
LP Indust	10620	34	28	31	+4	54	24
M M Prcpn	5500	18	16	16	−1	65	15
Makaoo	25500	6½	6	6		20	3
Meteor	10000	5	3	5	+2	13	2
Mri Mtn	5500	4	3	4	+ ½	13	3
Mt Sickr	4000	3½	3½	3½		14	3
Mt Wash	13500	6	4	4½	−2½	28	4
Nadina	1600	11	9	11		52	9
Native	1000	2	2	2		8	1
New Chief	5900	3½	3½	3½		20	3
N Cinch	3050	20	17	20	−1	35	12
New Highld	5500	7	4	7		16	4
Nw Jericho	100	4½	4½	4½	−2	23	4½
New Kelvr	2500	9	8	8		20	8
New Minex	1000	13	11	11	−1	40	10
N Privtr	5000	9½	8	8½		15	5
N Terr	7000	10	8	8	−1	20	7
Newvan	6000	10	9	9	+2	18½	7
Nicola Cop	3000	8	3	3	−5	85	3
Northair	56375	180	160	175	−1	485	122
North Isl	1500	5	4	5	+1	9	3
N Hornstak	5700	6	3	5		18	3
NW Vent	1900	27½	27½	27½	+ ½	85	25
Nuspar	600	25	16	16	−9	37	16
Oxbow	29000	32	21	26	+1	36	16½
Pacific Res	24700	260	236	245	−5	273	120
Parmnt	9000	10	10	10		17	6
Pitnfndr	14000	13	13	13	−2	47	13
Peel	3000	7	6	7	+1	17	4
Pegasus	25200	46	37	37	−7	230	37
Perry Rvr	3300	165	163	165	−4	120	80
Pne Lke	6000	5	5	5	+1	19	4
Pinncle	9000	5	5	5	+ ½	24	3
Placer	500	$14¾	14¾	14¾	− ¼	25	14¾
Primer	139500	12½	9	11½	+2½	18	2
Prism Res	1000	12	10	10	−2	71	10
Porcell	500	80	80	80		155	40
Pyrmid	14700	6	3	3	−2	15	3
QC Expl	12500	12	10½	10½	−1½	33	6
Qtsmo	500	4	4	4	+1½	13	2½
Rackla	5500	12½	10	12	+2	55	8
Reako Exp	200	20	20	20		72	15
Rio Plata	18500	25	20	22½	+2½	105	20
Riviera Ind	1500	8	8	8		18	5
Robert Mns	3000	10	10	10		35	10
Rosmac	4000	11	9	11	+2	35	9
Ryslo Silvr	17000	32	30	30		38	17
Sabina	10600	57	51	51	−9	160	50
S Jacinto	102000	25	20	24	+3	26½	7
Seaforth	10500	29	25	25	−3	91	16
Shalmar	125	14	14	14	−1	40	11
Sheba	18500	15	13	15		17	5
Shld Dev	6000	57	50	50		179	50
Sicintine	4500	11½	10	10	−2	72	8
Slk Prem	8500	7	7	7	−2	27	4
Sir City	17000	8	6	6		39	6
Sirquik	1000	3	3	3		14	3
Sir Ridge	3000	4	4	4		6½	3
S Spring	6500	31	30	30		57	25
S Stndrd	33100	95	87	90	−6	277	82
Skaist	1140M	44	18	31	+3	44	6
Slocan	500	10	10	10		31	8
Sonic Ray	27500	17	13	15	−3	41	8
Soneste Re	409600	37	26	27	−10	128	13
S Seas	7500	4	3	3	−3	17	3
Spectro	4000	5½	5½	5½	−1½	25	5½
Sproatt	4750	11½	11	11	−2	66	11
Texal Dev	10000	4	4	4		14	3
Thor Expl	37900	227	200	210	−17	240	30
Titan Pol	266	4	4	4		15½	4
Trwest	10000	8	5	7	−1	24	5
Tourngn	11000	25	20	20	−5	99	20
Turismo	700	4	2	4	+1	13	2
Tyee	17500	4	3	4	+1	14	2
Untd Chief	2200	11½	9½	11½	+2½	18	2
U Hearne	3000	45	36	45	+8	69	20
U Westld	6000	7	7	7	−2	16	6
Val Co	1200	450	400	410	−40	11¾	400
Vntreal	23000	8	6	8	+2	40	5
Vntor Res	4500	26	24	26	+1	33	23
Vestor Ex	4300	100	88	95	−8	155	66
Vieco Res	37400	24	11½	23	+10½	45	10
Wicome	6000	65	62	65	−3	175	50
W Butt	8000	2	2	2		7	¾
W Mines	3400	208	206	207	−2	380	200
W Ring H	3574	65	58	65	+2	145	58
Wharf	6000	44	41	41	+1	100	37
Whipsw	28000	9	8	8	+1	83	7
Ykn Rev	18000	25	23	23	−5	81	14
Yukon Gold	41600	32	27	31	−1	61	12
Znith	1000	10	10	10		30	8
Warrants and Rights							
Baltor wts	3000	¼	¼	¼		25½	¼
BX Dev A	42100	30	21	21	−4	100	15
Canwex A	14500	1¾	1	1¾	+ ¾	8	¼

Total sales, mines 8,767,867
63 Advances, 93 Declines, 64 Unchanged

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge	1974 High	1974 Low
INDUSTRIALS							
Alcan	200	$19¾	19¾	19¾		40	19¾
Ath Col	3400	115	110	115		220	110
Austin	1000	32	32	32		32	15
BBC Rty Un	1550	$11⅜	11¼	11¼	− ¼	14⅛	9½
Balco	1600	210	200	200	−10	5½	175
Bnk BC	304	$18¼	18	18	− ¼	23½	18
B Montrl	500	$12	12	12	+ ¼	21	11¼
Bell	100	4350	4350	4350		4457	4025
Block	12400	360	345	350	−10	390	250
Bras A	200	$10⅜	10⅜	10⅜		17⅜	10⅜
BCT 6 pf	10	$73½	72	72		77	66
BC Turf	500	56	5½	5½		7	5⅜
Burr Mtg	187	205	205	205	−5	300	200
Bk Com	200	2000	2000	2000	−200	2987	140
C Jvln	29600	$8¾	7½	7½	−1	13	7
C P	1110	$13½	13	13	− ½	17¾	11½
C Tokar	500	80	80	80		80	44
Canterra	10500	20	18	20	+4	60	15
Computx Ct	1500	21	20	20	−6	51	20
Cor Ind	3612	420	405	405	−10	6½	350
Crstwd	5900	75	68	75	+5	130	50
Daon Dev	400	5½	6½	6½	− ½	11¼	6
Doman	5087	470	460	470	+20	9	375
EDP Ind	12250	6	4	5	−2	27	4
F Trst	500	205	205	205		5¼	200
Field	200	$8½	8½	8½		18	8½
Fst Cty	800	$6¾	6⅜	6¾		12	4
Genstr	1700	$14¾	14¾	14¾		19	14¾
Gestalt Ltd	4600	47	42	45	−3	120	42
GN Land	700	80	68	80	+10	100	67
Grt W Steel	500	325	325	325		5⅜	325
Grouse	6600	110	100	100	−10	240	100
Hys Cda	600	320	320	320		375	260
Imperial A	1000	$21	21	21	−1	42¼	21
I Wood	900	61	60	60		225	50
I Hydro	1300	35	30	35	+5	90	25
Ionarc	20200	31	25	25	−5	100	25
IU Intl	2625	59⅛	8⅞	8⅞	− ⅜	20½	8⅞
Joly Jumpr	500	13	12	12	−3	145	11
Keg Rest	2000	80	75	80		163	65
K Dyong	300	65	65	65		195	65
M B	500	$23	23	23		32¾	20¾
Madill	100	$7½	7½	7½		10½	7½
Massey	500	$13	13	13		20¼	12½
Mercurie	3000	5	5	5		47	3
Mhawk	500	100	100	100		215	72
Neonex	200	110	110	110		300	110
Newmark	12500	53	48	50		159	40
NW Sprts	75	450	415	415	+15	6¾	390
NWF	555	75	70	70	−14	175	70
Ok Hold	60	$5	5	5		6⅜	5
Pace	1000	55	55	55	+4	90	40
PN Gas	400	200	200	200	+25	370	160
PNG pr	411	$16⅛	16⅛	16⅛		19¼	15½
Potter	1400	365	350	350	−45	425	310
Q Bdcst	1000	330	330	330		400	325
Rene Ind	3200	39	35	35		39	35
Ryl Bnk	600	$26½	26¼	26¼		38½	25¾
Sartoga	100	350	350	350		460	325
Scott	300	$19	18¾	18¾	− ¼	20	18
G Spring	300	66	66	66	−10	180	66
Sun A	7500	$41	41	41		52	41
Uncle Ben a	7	50	40	40		255	40
Uncle Ben b	5	40	40	40		5	40
Venture	6500	18	10	18	+9	60	4
Wardr	15050	145	110	140	+25	210	105
Web Knap	8000	25	25	25		60	25
Weldwd	400	$7¾	7¾	7¾		14½	7¾
Wdwrd	144	$18⅛	17⅜	17⅜		24½	17
Wosks	100	$6	6	6		9	6
Warrants and Rights							
Bbc Wt	100	140	140	140	−25	300	90

Total sales, industrials 202,142
11 Advances, 23 Declines, 37 Unchanged

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge	1974 High	1974 Low
OILS							
Alaska Ken	23500	10	8	10		155	8
August Pet	23582	15	10	12½	−2½	93	10
Blindry	500	50	50	50		165	50
Bison	54500	425	420	420	−15	550	200
C Hdgs	7900	120	100	100	−20	230	100
Charltn	2500	30	29	30		35	16½
Clonial	5500	45	40	40	−20	125	40
Comaplex	2000	28	24	24	+9	72	15
Comrci	2000	8	8	8		18	4½
Concept	200	200	200	200		580	120
Cop Ex	49000	13½	12	13½		66	12
Coseka Res	4294	138	132	133	−7	261	120
Coynex Dev	1000	92	91	91	−9	184	62
Davnport	27500	60	56	58	−4	115	29½
Davoil Nat	7000	22	17	20	−2	25	12
Ericrst	2000	2	2	2	−1	7	2
Five Star	7000			3½	3½	− ½	7	2
Freehld	2690	47	40	40	+5	200	35
Futurty	2000	5	5	5		17	5
Galveston	38100	117	112	114	−1	150	100
Gf Reef	1000	22	22	22		31	20
Greenld Ex	5000	36	35	35		230	35
Montrey A	2950	7½	5	5	−3	50	5
Mtn Stats	900	10	8	10		95	8
Pan Ocn	12200	650	550	550	−115	18¼	550
Pytte	44250	20	16	16	−2	105	15
Plains P	5480	9	7	7	−2	23	7
Pondry	6000	40	39	39	−1	120	30
Princess	13100	17	13	13	−2	32	10
Rainier	9100	38	32½	36	+3	50	28
Rand A	57500	80	66	74	+4	130	50
Range Ind	500	76	76	76	+16	76	52
Richdale	3000	10	8	10		25	5
Seneca	260033	88	64	80	+13	180	60
Slimil Ltd	2000	8	8	8	+3	26	5
S Christi	2500	20	15	20	+3	85	15
Skat Res	4800	50	45	50	−5	185	45
Stampd	15500	53	50	52		94	50
Sunlite	3700	230	200	200		825	200
West Ex	5000	4	3½	3½		9	2
Wstn Warn	1000	15	15	15	−2	45	15
Whistlr Pet	2000	22	22	22		32	16½
Wms Gold	11100	6	5	6		23	4

Total sales, oils 731,379
8 Advances, 19 Declines, 16 Unchanged

Vancouver Curb Exchange

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge	1974 High	1974 Low
Abaca	188000	52	34	47	+8	52	20
Acaplomo	500	5	5	5		27	4
Action	4500	10	7	7		51	6
Adair Res	25000	4½	4	4½	+ ½	28	2
Alice arm	18000	4	3¾	4		10	3¾
Amber	29500	15	9¼	13	+1	36	5½
Anglo Wst	1000	3	3	3		9	3
Aragon	22250	34	25	25	−12	38	25
Arjan Pac	1000	10	10	10		60	10
Athena	51000	6	3	4	+1	19	2
Avalanch	13200	106	95	106	+6	135	95
Bali Expl	12000	38	26	26	+3	47	20
Brmastr	353040	61	53	60	+7	67	22
Belmoral	36000	20	16	20		33	8
Benpel	400	140	140	140	+5	145	30
Bev Cal	76300	4	4	4		31	3¼
Bnvsta	6500	33	31	31	+1	37	25
Boru Mng	3500	15	10½	10½	−4½	52	10
Brent Expl	30000	26	20	26	+10	63	8
Br Pac	19500	5½	4½	5½	+1½	11	4
Cadet Res	27500	30	16	30		35	12
Canorex	13000	27	22	25	+2	70	15
Crdwell	11000	6	5	5		94	5
Cedar City	58000	46	38	38	−7	97	20
Challeng	3500	28	22	22	−4	55	12
Chanel	500	5½	5½	5½		23	5½
Chatam Rs	7000	5	2½	2½		35	2½
Claymore	21500	25	20	24		38	11
Cleaver	500	19	19	19		20	10
Coast. Int	5200	20	15	15		37	10
Comind	12500	5	3½		+2	18	2
Cone	16000	10	10	10	−8	18	10
Conjur	3000	8	7	7		20	7
Con Altar	1500	10	6	10		24	6
Cons Clevld	3766	3	1	3		14	1
Cons Mon	73065	36	24	25	−7	39	10
Corval	6000	25	24	24		88	12
Darva Res	7000	15	15	15	−1	50	8
Dasher	51667	40	26	31	−1	60	20½
Data Sys	250	12	12	12		45	11
Deans Geo	1000	80	70	70		130	70
Decade De	131800	35	24½	28½	+3½	47	6¼
Decker	3000	55	50	52		55	42
Diana	3500	20	18	18	+1	40	12
Donna	2000	4	4	4		8	2½
Dorchestr	1000	4	4	4		23	2
Driftwd	1000	5	5	5		35	5
Dyke	2000	6	6	6		48	6
Empire	16500	8	6	8	+2	25	6
Envoy Res	22000	15	7	15	+8	26	5
Erin Expl	1000	4½	4½	4½	+ ½	27	4
Espina	1500	25	25	25		59	23
Far East	8500	35	30	32	+1	45	20
Frtn Islnd	1000	5	5	5		10	5
Gbx Mns	1666	20	18	20	+2	35	15
GBS Elec	11000	35	33	35	−4	62	13
Gary	1500	5	5	5		19½	3
Gentry	40500	15	8	10		80	4
Geor	10500	27	27	27	−2	35½	20
Geoquest	6500	75	51	70		100	15
Grand Prix	500	30	30	30		75	30
Granger	2000	25	21	21	− ½	40	14½
Grt Bear	7000	7	5	5	−2	47	5
Hertz	4000	10	10	10	−5	95	10
Hilnd Quen	9100	140	110	120	+20	320	45
Highld Star	36000	18	16	17	−3	73	11
Hitec	5000	7	7	7	−3½	35	7
Hoko	5000	49	45	49	+1	72	39
Hope Bay	1500	180	180	180		430	150
Host Vent	410500	40	28	31½	−3	40	17
Intl Tika	750	15	10	10	−2	20	10
Jet	5000	65	59	59	−2	135	59
Junex	13000	10	8	8		38	5
Juniper	1000	16	16	16		46	10
Kandahar	13963	15	10	14	+4	53	9
Keith Cop	3500	5	5	5		15	3
Kelmount	3500	30	25	25	+13	205	10
Kendal Mn	14500	15	12	14		35	8
Komo	11000	4	2	2	+1	6	1
Lion Mines	2000	6	6	6	−1	31	6
Lou Mex	11000	24	20½	21	−2	62	16
Mark V	80000	135	100	110	−19	135	30
Matador	27000	6	4½	6	+1	90	4½
Mcleod	5000	6	6	6		15	3½
Mid Wst	1250	12	12	12	+3	20	4
Milestone	1700	1	1	1

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Ford Will Have to Get Tough on Energy

By HOBART ROWEN
Washington Post

WASHINGTON — Sooner or later the Ford administration will have to adopt the "stronger" measures to cut U.S. energy consumption 15 to 20 per cent, as suggested by Federal Reserve Chairman Arthur F. Burns and the sooner the better.

No political leader relishes the necessity of confronting the public with a demand for "austerity" — it is much more in the American tradition to promise an ever-broadening standard of living.

But like it or not, the United States and other Western countries are engaged in a desperate power struggle with the Organization for Petroleum Exporting Countries, and unless the West wants to yield abjectly to the cartel, it must make some tough decisions soon.

To put it in the starkest terms, the oil producers are accumulating so much wealth that they will be able — if current prices and current consumption levels are maintained — to buy up the rest of the world.

An outrageous exaggeration? The World Bank estimates that the cartel's reserves will be about $653 billion by 1980 and $1,206 billion by 1985, or six times the world total at the end of 1973.

$65 Billion Yearly

In this year alone, the OPEC countries will add $65 billion to their wealth, and another $65 billion or so in 1975.

To put that figure in perspective, the U.S. — a year shy of a 200-year history — has net foreign assets of $63 billion, or less than OPEC now acquires in a single year.

The Wold Bank's estimte that by 1985, the cartel will pile up the incredible reserve total of $1,206 billion has received wide publicity. What has not been reported fully is that five countries with what the bank describes as "limited" capacity to use the money in their own economies will hold $996 billion of the total. They are Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Libya, Qatar, and the United Arab Emirates.

Another $197 billion would be held by another four countries, including Iran, with a slightly greater "absorptive" capacity.

Paul Erdman's fictional account in the Dec. 2 New York magazine depicting a two-day war in which the Shah of Iran conquers the Persian Gulf states, controls almost all the world's oil supply and then dominates the world is an exercise in fantasy. But it provides food for thought.

Rising Danger

Assistant Secretary of State Thomas O. Enders, in a controversial speech at Yale University on Nov. 25, said bluntly that "unless they act, the industrial democracies face an inexorably rising danger of financial collapse, or depression, or both over the next decade.

"As oil debts pile up in the industrial countrries, first the weaker, then the stronger will find their credit unacceptable, and will try to balance their external accounts by restrictions on trade and on the level of economic activity."

What, then, is the answer, since the cartel has made clear that it is not interested in abandoning the rigged price that has caused all the trouble?

The answer is not, as Enders suggested, to couple a conservation program with a guarantee that new energy investments be assured a price of $10 or $11 a barrel, plus an allowance for inflation.

Unwise Suggestion

By the time Enders appeared before a Congressional committee four days later he had been called off this unwise suggestion by Treasury Secretary William E. Simon and others. There is plenty of incentive for what former Interior Secretary Stewart Udall calls the "oil boomers" without letting the cartel set the domestic oil U.S. price.

The immediate response of the western world should be drastic cuts in energy consumption. The sheer waste, especially in the United States is enormous.

Much fat can be trimmed, wth little loss to anyone — except the exporting cartel. But the reductions will have to affect the muscle below the fat: a "sizable" gas tax, as Burns recommended, or gas rationing, and a tax on auto horsepower will hurt the economy. But we can adjust to that. We can eventually build more of our own sources of energy, as well.

But what we can not and should not adjust to is dictation by the cartel, turning its oil on and off to accomplish their political goals.

If we drift along this way, letting the cartel call the signals, merrily burning up gasoline and electricity, then, as Burns says, "we may face a permanent decline of our nation's economic and political power in a very troubled world."

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MANAGER'S ROLE SAID SHIFTING TO SERVANT

VANCOUVER (CP) — A spokesman for the British Columbia construction industry sees the role of manager gradually shifting from that of boss to that of servant.

Chuck Connaghan told a recent seminar of the International Material Management Association of B.C. that "in future, the manager will be held responsible to his subordinates as well as to his superiors."

Connaghan, president of Construction Labor Relations Association of B.C., explained that management has traditionally decide how the workload should be distributed, but some day the individual may determine how his work should be handled.

Employees will be self-directed and self-motivated, turning to management only when advice is needed, thus supplanting management's function of directing subordinates.

Staffing will be carried out by specific work groups determining staffing requirements for their groups, hiring employees, and this may even involve the naming and evaluating of managers.

Connaghan also predicts a trend toward job enrichment to build mental tasks into every job.

"The change in the work place will require new skills to be developed and taught," he said.

"This, in turn, will demand new sophistication in the selection processes we now use, and will also affect the promotion sequence and our training techniques."

Connaghan also foresees a further movement toward profit sharing if employees are to be convinced that they are not being exploited.

"This, too, will cause labor-management strain since management will view any union push in this direction as a further threat to its right to manage."

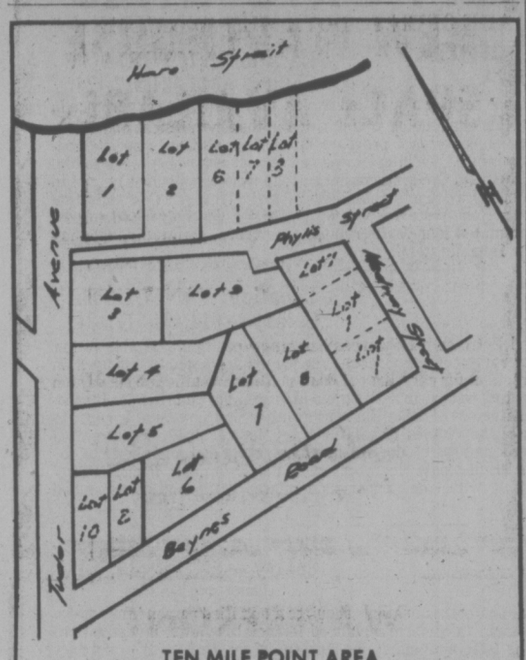
A greater union emphasis on secondary issues such as the reduced work week, technological change and pollution control is also predicted by Connaghan, who says basic monetary issues are no longer crucial.

He also foresees a time when unions will be bargaining for vacation pay at time-and-a-half or double-time to add to vacation enjoyment.

The continuing battle over technological change won't be solved in the near future, Mr. Connaghan said.

"The ingredients for disruption are already with us — unemployment, inflation, cost pressure on management, erosion of management rights, the legislative prerogatives being given organized labor to resist technological change.

"By the 1980s, we could be sitting on a live volcano."



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French Auto Firms Merge

PARIS (Reuter) — France's two privately-owned car manufacturing firms, Peugeot and Citroen, announced Friday a merger that unites them administratively while leaving them free to compete for sales in France and abroad.

The joint announcement said a new administrative body made up of Peugeot officials would ensure liason and co-ordination between the two companies, while each will retain its separate management and commercial freedom.

Peugeot, the stronger of the two firms, will seek to harmonize and streamline the production and general operation of the companies, the statement said.

The government on Tuesday granted $299 million in low-interest loans to the French car industry for reorganizatiion to face the current slump in automobile sales.

B.C. Tel Bonds Yield 11%

VANCOUVER (CP) — The directors of the British Columbia Telephone Company approved the issuing of first mortgage bonds totalling $45 million Thursday.

The issue, designated Series Y, will bear an interest coupon of 11 per cent offered at par, the bonds will be dated January 6, 1975 and wiill mature January 15, 1996.

Proceeds of the issue will be used to retire temporary short-term loans for the extension and improvement of the company's plant and facilities.

The company's last two series of first mortgage bonds, totalling $46 million, was sold in April 1974 and bore interest at 8¾ per cent and 9¼ per cent.

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FRIDAY

TORONTO (CP) — Recent prices of mutual funds supplied by The Canadian Mutual Funds Association Friday. They are the net asset value per share or unit (NAVPS) last calculated by the fund in accordance with its pricing practice as contained in the prospectus of the fund. n—no sales charge, x—U.S. Fund, y—delayed NAVPS.

CMFA Members		Assoc Inv	4.55
Acrofund	.83	Beaubrian	3.65
AGF Japan	4.84	yCamb Gth	6.17
AGF Special	1.72	Cardinal Div	2.33
All-Cdn Comp	4.75	nCdn Scudder	3.66
All-Cdn Div	4.84	Cdn S Afr Gd	7.25
All-Cdn N En	2.52	Capital Gth	7.58
All-Cdn Rv G	3.83	xChase Fund	4.44
All-Cdn Ven	2.01	yCollective	4.13
All-Cdn 4000	3.18	xComp Cap	3.43
Amer Growth	3.42	Desjard Cdn	5.69
Canada Cum	3.23	Desjard Hypo	4.10
Canada Gwth	3.78	nyDesjrd Intl	5.29
Cdn Gas Egy	8.67	Desjard Obl	4.73
CIF	3.58	Desjard Que	3.05
Cdn Sec Gth	3.87	nyDesjrd Spe	2.78
Cdn Trusteed	4.39	yDixon, Krog	4.26
Canagx Fnd	7.48	yDomin Comp	4.89
yCanagx Bnd	9.10	xDreyfus Inc	7.71
Canagx Intl	5.85	xDreyfus Intl	8.14
yCangx Mtg	10.03	Entarea Inv	4.31
Corp Invest	4.73	nExecutiv Can	5.64
Corp Inv Stk	3.42	nExecutiv Int	1.47
Eaton Cwlth	10.77	xFid Trend	13.94
Eaton Growth	6.12	Gdn Growth	6.43
Eaton Income	4.43	nHarvard Gth	3.35
Eaton Intl	4.05	yHeritage	1.48
Eaton Lever	2.34	Industrial Eq	3.82
Eaton Ventur	2.05	Industril Gth	12.70
Eaton Viking	4.07	Intl En	1.77
GIS Comp	7.07	Intl Gth	4.49
nGIS Income	2.34	Intl Income	3.46
Grwth Equity	4.49	Key Canada	4.44
Gdn Entprise	.71	xKey Cus K-2	3.55
Gdn Nth Am	2.69	xKey Cus S-1	13.36
Gdn Sec Inc	9.56	xKey Cus S-4	2.01
Gdn Wld Egy	3.92	xKey Pof	2.15
yInvestrs Gth	8.83	xLex Rsrch	9.10
yInvestrs Intl	3.86	xManhatn	2.10
yInvest Japan	6.01	Marlborough	3.23
yInvestrs Mtg	4.82	NW Equity	3.39
yInvestrs Mut	4.28	NW Canadian	3.83
yInvestrs Ref	4.24	NW Growth	3.20
Mutual Acum	4.76	xOne Wm St	10.77
Mutual Inc	3.91	xOppenhmr	4.47
yNat Res Gth	3.31	nPacific Cmp	5.22
Pld Resources	2.49	nPacific Div	3.67
yPret Rv Am	5.44	nPacific Res	1.68
yPret Rv Cdn	5.15	nPacific Ref	3.65
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Royfund Inc	5.05	yP H N Bnd	10.45
Royfund Ltd	5.14	nyPHN RRSP	8.54
ySav Inv Am	5.44	yPHN Poold	21.46
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Taurus	2.22	xPutnam Gth	7.03
yUnited Acc	3.36	nScudder NA	2.99
yUnitd Ac Rt	3.72	xTech	4.48
yUnited Amer	.91	Temple Gth	6.04
yUnited Hori	1.25	nTimed Invst	5.35
yUnited Pen	2.23	Trans Can A	4.46
yUnited Sec	4.57	Trans Can C	8.08
yUnited Ven	1.82	Trans Can Sp	3.50
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BONDS

FRIDAY

(Street prices)

Day loans — Easy 7½%; special call loans — easy 10¼%; Comm Paper — 10¼ 30 dys; short CDA — active up 10-20c; 9¼ Feb 1/77 106.25-35; Mid CDA — active up ¼-½, 4½ Sept 1/83 80 ¼-½; Long CDA — active up ¼-½ pt, 9½ June 15/94 101 ¼-¾; Provincials — active up ¼-½, Ont Hyd 9⅝ Nov 15/81 102-½, Ont Hyd 10 Nov 15/99 100-¼; Corps — active up ½, Mar Tel 10¾/95 99½-100; U.S. Mkt. — active up ¼.

ALBERTA

FRIDAY

Bashaw Led	1000	2	2	2	
Consol Albor	3500	65	64	65	+5
Cord	2700	7¾	7	7	—¼
Galvestn	900	118	116	118	
Nth Contin	1000	1	1	1	—1
Peregrine	2000	10	10	10	
Bashaw Led	1000	2	2	2	
Consol Alcor	3500	65	64	65	+5
Cord	2700	7¾	7	7	—¼
Galvestn	900	118	116	118	
Nth Contin	1000	1	1	1	—1
Peregrine	2000	10	10	10	
Savanna	7000	25	25	25	
Sparrow	1000	88	88	88	+5
Terra	1000	280	275	275	—15

SILVER QUOTES

FRIDAY

Closing basic price of 1,000-ounce certificates in the Victoria area $4.15 U.S. bid and $4.35 asked, per troy ounce, previous day 4.25 and 4.45.

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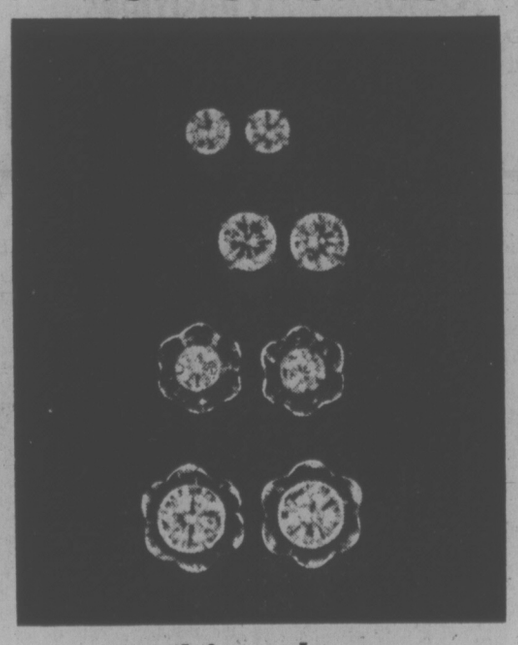
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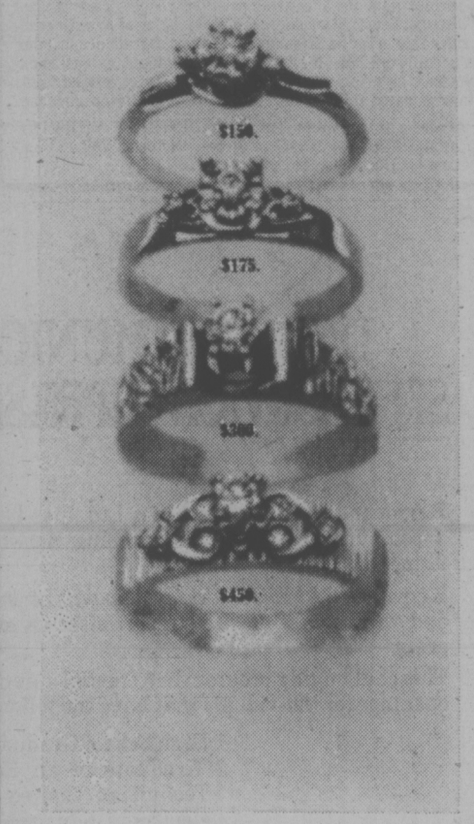

Birks has the most engaging ideas
Above is just a sampling of what's in a Birks store for you to choose from. An unmatched array of ring settings in designs both modern and traditional. Beautiful!
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This lovely home is less than two years old. 1150 square feet on the main floor includes three good sized bedrooms, four-piece bath, dining area, kitchen and a generous sized living room with brick fireplace.
The full basement has a finished bathroom and second fireplace and is ready for further development. There is a big carport and sundeck, too, with views of Salt Spring Island. The 6.5 acres includes a small barn, a fenced off pasture, some fruit trees and space to spare. All located in a quiet rural- area of the Cowichan Valley and open to offers. MLS.
746-4154 Ron Mathews 748-2360

There is an opening for the following position in the City of Vancouver's newly created Housing Department.

City of Vancouver
DIRECTOR OF HOUSING

The Director of this newly established Department will be responsible for the development of 'non-market' housing generated by the City or the City Non-Profit Housing Corporation. The non-market housing field includes developments oriented towards elderly persons as well as families and special groups. Projects could be town house or apartment oriented. Funding for developments will be provided under various sections of the National Housing Act. This is not a research position — its function is the production of housing.

The Director of Housing will initiate, co-ordinate and supervise all stages of City sponsored non-market housing. He will attend Council and Committee meetings to speak on his reports and recommendations, and to advise members of Council on matters related to the production of housing.

The Director of Housing will have extensive knowledge of all aspects of the housing development business and personal experience as a builder, will have the ability to meet and negotiate effectively with a wide range of individuals and governmental personnel, and be able to plan, direct, co-ordinate, assign and review the work of a small staff.

Salary will be commensurate with experience and qualifications. Can be on a regular salary or contractural basis.

Please respond in writing with a resume, including remuneration expected to:

Mr. D. H. Pollard,
Director of Personnel Services,
City of Vancouver, City Hall,
453 West 12th Avenue,
Vancouver, British Columbia

CAREER

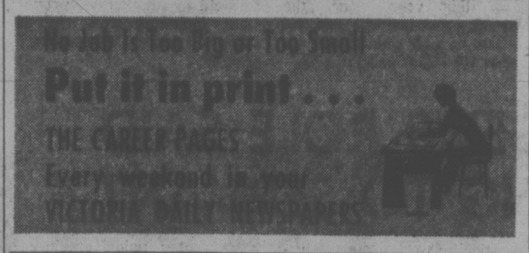
AUTO BODY MANAGER

Thomas Plimley Ltd. requires a Manager for their Auto Body Shop. The position offers a great deal of responsibility and freedom to expand our body repairs business. The duties include: Supervision of bodymen and apprentices, estimating, administration of insurance claims, hiring of staff, reporting to Service Manager.

The applicant should have experience in the auto body repair business and be able to handle the duties. This position offers a good basic salary plus profit sharing bonus as well as the usual fringe benefits. For further details contact:

Mr. H. Goldsworthy,

Thomas Plimley Ltd.,
1010 Yates Street.



Province of British Columbia
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PROFESSIONAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

These Positions Are Open to Both Men and Women

RECLAMATION ENGINEER — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 74:3379 — **Salary — *$17,124-$19,464**

The Department of Mines & Petroleum Resources has a challenging opportunity available immediately in the Reclamation Section of the Inspection Division for a qualified Engineer (Mining or Civil), or a Geologist, Forester, Agriculturist or Agrologist. The successful candidate will function as an Assistant to the Senior Reclamation Inspector and will be responsible, under direction, for assessing reclamation proposals and programs; to carry out long-term research projects regarding vegetation; to provide a continuing consultative and advisory service to the industry; to supervise staff and perform other related duties. Requires a recognized university degree in one of the above disciplines and membership, or eligible, in the appropriate professional association of British Columbia; extensive practical experience and demonstrated ability to supervise staff. *Lesser qualified applicants may be appointed at salary range $14,424-$17,124.

PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER
Location: VICTORIA
Competition No. 74:3403 — **Salary — $10,044-$12,132** (under negotiation)

The Department of Education has an interesting new position available in the Communications Branch for a person with a background in newspaper or media reporting, or equivalent. The person appointed to this position will be responsible to the Director of Information Services, for assisting in planning, co-ordinating and supervising the Department's public information programs and services; will be required to prepare and edit news releases, informational material for the Department and for external publications; to develop and co-ordinate public interest programs, special shows, exhibits, news conferences, etc.; to answer related enquiries and correspondence, and to perform other related duties as required. Requires, preferably, a university degree in a related discipline; OR, Secondary School graduation and, preferably subsequent formal training plus extensive experience in a related field; demonstrated ability to write effectively and to communicate with senior Government officials, the general public and the media.

Obtain applications from the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 544 Michigan Street, Victoria V8V 1S3, and return by December 18, 1974.

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THESE POSITIONS ARE OPEN TO BOTH MEN AND WOMEN

PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICERS

B.C. and Yukon Postal District
Salary Range: $12,143 to $13,798

Three positions are open: Metro Vancouver, Vancouver Island and B.C. District.

Three challenging, responsible positions in the public information field with opportunities for advancement are offered in the B.C. and Yukon Postal District, to experienced communicators. Two officers will be based in Vancouver, the other in Victoria. Successful applicants will be responsible for advising line managers on public relations matters, for identifying needs and conducting public affairs programs involving audio-visual activities, media relations, community relations and employee relations, for writing and editing a variety of communications including pamphlets and speeches, for co-ordinating special events and performing other related duties.

The positions require a thorough knowledge of the current channels of communications in the area to be served; extensive skills in language usage, demonstrated proficiency in news reporting and writing and placing of advertising and printing; a working knowledge of exhibit techniques and significant experience in organization and planning.

Candidates should hold a permit to drive and be willing to travel fairly extensively

Apply by December 20, 1974 to: Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 11120, Royal Centre, 1055 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6E 3L4

Obtain Application Form PSC 367-4110 at Post Offices, Canada Manpower Centres or Public Service Commission of Canada offices. Appointments as a result of this competition are subject to the provisions of the Public Service Employment Act.

Please quote reference No. 74-V-POD-229

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
invites applications for

SOCIAL WORKERS

Salaries quoted are 1973 rates
These positions are open to both men and women

The Department of Human Resources urgently requires qualified persons for the following challenging and rewarding positions:—

CO-ORDINATOR OF COMMUNITY RESOURCES BOARDS
Location: VICTORIA
Competition No. 74:3381 — **Salary — $12,132-$14,784**

Under direction, to be responsible for co-ordinating the development of Commiinity Resources Boards throughout the Province; to provide advice and direction and to assist communities to develop Community Resource Boards; to act as a Consultant for Departmental staff and to develop and recommend to the senior officials policy and procedures for the development and operation of Community Resource Boards; to perform other related duties as required. Requires considerable related experience.

DISTRICT OFFICE — **Location: BELLA COOLA**
Competition No. 74:3369 — **Salary — $11,232-$13,596** plus $912/annum Isolation Allowance

To be responsible, under direction, for the creative leadership of the Department's total program in the jurisdiction of the District Office, with prime emphasis on social assistance and rehabilitation, plus child welfare programs; to administer the office's total operation and supervise Social Work and clerical staff; to work with other professional and community groups as appropriate and in the development resources; other related services as required. Requires several years' related experience.

Candidates for the above two positions require a recognized Master of Social Work degree, or a Bachelor of Arts Degree, preferably in Social Sciences and with post-graduate training in social work; OR, for non-degree candidates, extensive experience as a Socieal Worker, or in a directly related field; demonstrated ability to direct staff; a valid driver's license.

Obtain applications from the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 544 Michigan Street, Victoria, V8V 1S3 and return by December 18, 1974.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
invites applications for

PROFESSIONAL CAREER POSITIONS

in the

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

$15,588 - $18,732

These positions are open to both men and women

HEAD - INFORMATION BRANCH
Competition No. 75:20 — **Location: VICTORIA**

Under direction, to be responsible for the overall activities of the Branch, including staff supervision; in consultation and co-operation with other branches, to assume responsibility for the editing and final preparation of departmental publications, preparing regularly scheduled agricultural TV and radio programs throughout the Province, preparing visual aids, displays, press releases, news stories and In-Service Newsletters, etc., also to be directly responsible for preparation of the Annual and other reports, and for all departmental advertising, to represent the department as required; to advise and assist department personnel as required; other related duties. Requires a recognized university degree in a field related to the duties to be performed; considerable field experience in both agriculture and public information work, demonstrated ability in journalism and with the media.

OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, Dairy Laboratory
Competition No. 75:21 — **Location: BURNABY**

Under direction, to be primarily responsible for management of the central Dairy Laboratory and other programs, to direct technical and support staff in providing analytical data on priority schedules to dairy processors, producers, the Milk Board, Dairy Herd Improvement Services, and various government bureaus; to maintain records, organize schedules and prepare accurate, detailed reports, to initiate new programs, and represent the Department on important committees. Requires a recognized degree in Agriculture with a major in food technology, chemistry, bacteriology or other related field; considerable experience in both administrative and supervisory duties.

Candidates for both the above positions require membership, or eligibility, in the British Columbia Institute of Agrologists.

Obtain applications from the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 544 Michigan Street, VICTORIA, V8V 1S3 and return by December 24, 1974

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

THESE POSITIONS ARE OPEN TO BOTH MEN AND WOMEN

SPECIAL PLACEMENT OFFICER — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 74:3197A — **Salary — $14,424-$17,124**

The Public Service Commission is seeking a qualified person, preferably with experience in the rehabilitation field, to fill this challenging new position in the Recruitment and Selection Division. Under direction, to develop a program in which applicants who are considered disabled or industrially injured are interviewed and considered, wherever possible, for employment within the Provincial Government Service; to work independently, and to establish a good working rapport with departments, industries, the Worker's Compensation Board and other organizations. Requires a recognized university degree related to personnel administration; a minimum of four years' related experience, preferably including experience as a Consultant in rehabilitation.

ENGINEER — **Location: VANCOUVER**
Competition No. 75:38 — **Salary — $14,424-$17,124**

The Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources has a new position available in the Inspection Division of the Mineral Resources Branch. The person appointed to this position will be responsible, under direction, for carrying out dust, noise and ventilation surveys in mines, quarries and concentrating works; to assist mine management and District Inspectors of Mines regarding the abatement of noise, dust or any other environmental hazard; to enforce the ventilation rules of the "Mines Regulations Act" as required; other related duties. Requires a recognized university degree in engineering and membership, or eligible, in the Association of Professional Engineers of British Columbia; several years' practical experience, preferably with some experience related to the duties described above.

AUDIT ACCOUNTANT — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 75:40 — **Salary — $12,132-$14,784** (under negotiation)

The Department of Transport and Communications requires a qualified person immediately in the Communications Branch, to perform advanced financial reviews, investigation, analyses and audits of existing telecommunications systems in the Province; to conduct special studies, appraisals or investigations of a financial nature involving top-level contacts in the Federal, Provincial and private sectors; to analyse and report on the financial feasibility of new telecommunications systems or extensions to existing systems and make recommendations on changes required; other related duties. Requires Secondary School graduation and, preferably, membership in a professional accounting association (C.A., C.G.A., R.I.A.); extensive accounting experience; demonstrated ability to prepare comprehensive reports, including recommendations, and to supervise support staff.

SOCIAL WORKER — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 75:47 — **Salary — $12,132-$14,784**

The Department of Human Resources has a rewarding position available in the Child Welfare Division, located in the Belmont Building. The successful appointee to this position will be responsible to the Superintendent of Child Welfare for the overall administration of the Department's program for all children who are in the care of the Superintendent; to act as a consultant to Regional Directors, staff of the Department, and municipal offices in relation to the Child-in-Care program throughout the Province; to give leadership in the maintenance of appropriate standards throughout the foster home program and to act as Provincial Co-ordinator for the Foster Parents' Federation; to handle inter-provincial and out of country transfers of children; to act as a liaison with the Public Trustee, and Government departments. Requires, preferably, a recognized Master of Social Work degree and several years' experience in social work related to family and child welfare services; a sound knowledge of child welfare legislation related to children in the Province, and also the administration of departments and related agencies.

PERSONNEL OFFICERS — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 75:53 — ***Salary — $11,988-$14,424**

TWO new career opportunities are now available in the Corrections Branch of the Department of the Attorney-General for qualified persons who will be responsible to the Senior Personnel Officer for handling direct recruitment and resolving competition selection panels. Also, will be required to assist in the review and resolving of classification problems, grievances, requisitioning and training of staff, work allocations, employee appraisals, and other related personnel matters, as directed. Duties may involve considerable travelling throughout the Province. Requires a recognized university degree related to personnel administration, and a minimum of two years' directly related experience.
*Lesser qualified applicants may be appointed at salary range $9,924-$11,604.

RESEARCH OFFICER — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 75:54 — ***Salary — $11,688-$14,124** (under negotiation)

The Department of Labour, Special Services Branch. The person appointed to this position will be responsible to the Director for providing informational services to labour-management groups during the terms of a collective agreement, including setting up of committees, assistance with problems, job evaluation and other similar services presently being provided by the Federal Department of Labour. Will be required to handle assignments of work relating to national and international labour affairs, and to handle long-and short-range policy research devoted to improve industrial relations, possibly in conjunction with similar research currently being carried on in Canadian universities. Requires a recognized university degree in Economics, Political Science or Sociology, and a minimum of four years' broad practical experience in research work in the particular field, subsequent to graduation, including at least two years' in charge of important research projects; (post-graduate training may be credited towards the experience requisite); preferably, some knowledge of the Labour Code of B.C. and related legislation.

TECHNICIAN — **Location: VICTORIA**
Competition No. 75:55 — **Salary — $11,688-$14,124** (under negotiation)

In the Inspection Division of the Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, and under direction, to carry out safety inspections of all mechanical and electrical equipment being used at mines and quarries within a specified area during exploration, construction and production stages and to advise on its design and operation in regards to safety; to arrange and supervise special braking and steering tests of heavy mobile equipment operated by the mining industry; to conduct special investigations, prepare and submit related reports, check specifications of all new equipment to ensure full compliance with the Mines and Coal Mines Regulation Acts; to assist departmental officials and act for senior professional staff when required. Requires Secondary School graduation and, preferably a diploma in the related Technology from a recognized institute, or an acceptable combination of training and experience; seven years' related experience and a good knowledge of the related legislation.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS — **Salary — $10,044-$12,132** (under negotiation)
VANCOUVER — Competition No. 75:56
VICTORIA — Competition No. 75:57

The Department of Labour urgently requires qualified persons to be employed in the Employment Programmes Section at each location. The successful candidates of these important positions will be responsible, under direction, for establishing a continuing liaison with Canada Manpower Centres and major employers, in the particular locale and outside regions, of the Summer Careers Employment Programmes and others; to supervise and train staff; to continually evaluate programmes and with the aid of knowledgeable community persons, to assess the requirement for future employment programmes; to act as a liaison person with the financial officer regarding costs, money allocation, etc.; in liaison with the Information Services Branch, to co-ordinate advertising and public information expenditure; other related duties. Requires Secondary School graduation, and preferably, subsequent formal training in related subjects; considerable administrative experience, preferably with some experience in related duties; experience in supervising staff and in the preparation of comprehensive reports.

Obtain applications from the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 544 Michigan Street, Victoria V8V 1S3, and return by December 24, 1974.

DATA COMMUNICATIONS SITE SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES

Burroughs Business Machines Ltd., has been selected to provide a computerized message switching network for the Canadian Armed Forces.

Known as **SAMSON**, this system will be developed by Burroughs and will require on-site support after an extensive training program.

This challenging program has created a number of **IMMEDIATE** openings for individuals that have the following qualifications:

1 High School Graduate.
2 Graduate of an Electronic Technology/ Technician Course or experience in the electronic industry.
3 Mechanical Aptitude.

Those qualified for these openings on our professional team will find fully commensurate compensation and benefits combined with long-term satisfaction of an unusual nature—in terms of challenge, recognition and continued advancement potential.

Please forward your resume to:

Norm Hayward
Project Manager, SAMSON
Burroughs Business Machines Ltd.
801 York Mills Road
Don Mills, Ontario

All resumes will be held in the strictest confidence.

Burroughs

Alberta Energy Company (AEC)

A new and unique corporation offers exciting challenges.

This company will participate in industrial and energy-related developments, primarily in the Province of Alberta. Albertans and other Canadians will be shareholders in this large, well-financed enterprise.

Initial capitalization is anticipated to be $150 million of which $75 million has already been committed to the company. The Alberta Energy Company is currently involved in a number of major projects, including:

- An oil pipeline from the Alberta Oil Sands.
- Option rights in connection with the Syncrude Oil Sands agreement.
- Negotiations for purchase of Suffield, Alberta petroleum and natural gas rights.
- One-half ownership of Pan-Alberta Gas.

Some key facts about the Alberta Energy Company:

- It will participate, largely as an investor, in industrial and energy-related developments, such as petrochemical plants or secondary industry.
- It will tend to participate in new projects, rather than buy out existing enterprises.
- It will primarily act as an investor in the operations of others, rather than being an operating company.
- It will not engage in conventional oil and gas exploration.
- It will act on its own initiative to evaluate projects, in addition to responding to opportunities presented by others.
- It will be owned 50 percent by residents or citizens of Canada and 50 percent by the Province of Alberta.
- It will pay federal taxes at the same rates as other Canadian corporations and will not be a Crown corporation.
- It will be expected to yield a profit to its shareholders.
- It will not employ or have as officers or directors, any elected member of government or member of the public service.

The company is now in its formative stage, selecting and hiring its senior executive group and the opportunity for those selected is to participate in the start of one of the most exciting active corporations ever conceived in Canada. The Head Office will be in Edmonton with additional Executive Offices in Calgary.

The candidates selected for these challenging positions will all be experienced in delivering profitable results in their respective areas of specialty and will be well-respected for their performance to date. They will be initiators with a proven track record of action; problem-solvers, hard-working, flexible individuals with the ability to lead staff by skilled management and administration. The prospect of a new company with wide-ranging objectives must challenge them to work with the rest of the management group in achieving the company's exciting goals.

Those selected will report directly to the President, and will be responsible for the following functional areas:

FINANCE

The successful candidate for this area of responsibility will:

- be extremely capable of handling money and portfolio management
- be proficient in establishing financial systems of control and management reporting
- have broad experience in budget preparation
- have the instincts of an entrepreneur and be profit-oriented
- be capable of directing a team of professionals on day-to-day activities
- have familiarity with the use of sophisticated computer techniques.

LEGAL/SECRETARIAL

The successful candidate for this area of responsibility will:

- be a member of the Alberta Bar Association or eligible for membership
- have had exposure to corporate legal matters in a broad context
- be capable of handling the internal legal affairs of a company
- have had exposure to joint venture and partnership operations
- be interested in directing corporate secretarial activities
- co-ordinate with outside legal counsel as required.

ECONOMICS AND PLANNING

The successful candidate for this area of responsibility will:

- be an economist with extensive experience
- be conversant with interest rates, inflation and labor costs
- possess a high degree of imagination
- be capable of initiating projects
- be able to develop broad economic plans for the company's future growth and profitability
- be capable of placing the company's plans into the broader context of world-wide and Canadian economic forecasts
- be proficient in handling various demand supply studies
- be capable of conducting economic evaluations to determine whether detailed technical studies are worthwhile.

EVALUATIONS

The successful candidate for this area of responsibility will:

- be a Professional Engineer, preferably with energy experience
- have had broad computer experience
- be capable of directing detailed technical evaluations
- have experience in project profitability studies
- be able to supervise project evaluation teams
- be proficient in preparing written reports and in making verbal presentations
- be able to select and co-ordinate outside consultants and evaluate their efforts.

PERSONNEL

The successful candidate for this area of responsibility will:

- have a broad human resource management background
- be capable of setting up a new personnel department
- be experienced in compensation planning and employee benefits
- be experienced in manpower planning and development
- have knowledge of modern recruitment and selection techniques
- be able to establish job definition and performance evaluation systems.

Candidates selected for these exciting positions will receive a fully competitive salary and benefits package.

All responses will be acknowledged upon receipt. Initial interviewing of those selected will be accomplished by January, 1975.

Responses are also sought for positions less senior than those above, from candidates who are interested in working in other capacities in the company. Employment for these positions will be commenced after January, 1975.

Response to these interesting and challenging opportunities may be made confidentially in writing to:

President
Alberta Energy Company
P.O. Box 6026, Postal Station "D"
Calgary, Alberta T2P 2C7
or
P.O. Box 1333
Edmonton, Alberta T5J 0J0

Written application or verbal inquiry may also be made in strict confidence to:

A. G. LENNOX, director of personnel services
Peat, Marwick and Partners
2600, 500 Fourth Avenue S.W.
Calgary, Alberta T2P 2V6
Telephone: (403) 266-6041

people

Wall St. Securities Man Makes Office Death Leap

NEW YORK (AP) — a 31-year-old securities analyst fell or jumped to his death Friday from a 32nd-floor window of the offices of the Anthony Tucker and R. L. Day brokerage company, police said.

The dead man was **Joseph Kendler**, 31, who had joined the firm in recent months. A company spokesman said he earned more than $30,000 a year and had a substantial Christmas bonus in the offing.

Kendler, a Harvard graduate, fell to a seventh-storey setback of the building, at 120 Broadway in the Wall Street area.

Authorities said he was married but had no children.

LOS ANGELES — A letter to the editor of the Los Angeles Times, from **B. V. Barkley** of South Laguna, Calif., published Friday said in its entirety:

"Don't you think by having another depression that we are carrying this nostalgia craze too far?"

SAN JUAN, P.R. — This year's top bellman is a man named Baggs.

Tony Baggs, 63, of the Statler-Hilton Hotel of Buffalo, won a trip to Puerto Rico, a $500 U.S. savings bond and a set of luggage for his adeptness with other people's bags for the last 42 years.

The "bellman of the year award" was presented to Baggs during this week's annual meeting here of the American Hotel and Motel association.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. — **William F. Buckley** was asked Friday what he thought about the relationship between **Rep. Wilbur Mills** and his stripper friend **Annabella Battistella**, better known as **Fanne Foxe**.

Buckley, at Western Kentucky University, said: "Anybody who has spent 20 years trying to understand the American budget is entitled to go nuts."

WINNIPEG — The RCMP were advised Friday that **Roy Atkinson**, president of the National Farmers' Union, is overweight, slow-footed and easy to track down.

In the wake of recent statements that travel agents had been used to keep the RCMP informed of Atkinson's travel plans, a resolution was introduced at the union's annual conference adivsing the RCMP's security branch that surveillance of the union president was a waste of time.

The resolution, which did not come to a vote, said Atkinson would be asked to attach a slow-moving vehicle sign to his person and allow the implantation of an electronic device in his body that would transmit a continuous signal that could be monitored for tracking purposes.

NORTH VANCOUVER — Four young people, including the 18-year-old son of Vancouver Mayor **Art Phillips**, were placed Friday on two years probation when they appeared in provincial court charged with breaking and entering with intent to commit theft.

John Frederick Phillips, 18, **Margaret Shirley Berube**, 25, **Leonard Bruce Clark**, 18, and **Keith Kevin Slade**, 17, all of Bowen Island, had earlier pleaded guilty.

They admitted breaking into a Bowen Island store in October and stealing food and a chain saw worth a total of about $600.

Judge **H. S. Mahon** also ordered the four to make restitution of $100 in food that was not recovered.

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Hero's Funeral for Thant

LONDON (AP) — A threatened popular uprising in Burma apparently has been averted by a government promise to grant a hero's funeral for former United Nations secretary-general U Thant, diplomatic sources here say.

The sources said the government of Gen. Ne Win has decided not to take reprisals against an estimated 6,000 students and Buddhist monks who seized the casket containing Thant's body during a funeral procession on Thursday.

In Rangoon, the students and monks still held the body at the Rangoon University campus today. City officials proposed that Thant be buried in a tomb near Rangoon's Shwedagon Pagoda, but the students refused the offer and were building a tomb for him on the campus.

The site chosen by the protesters once was occupied by a student union building, which was demolished by the government 12 years ago. The government's original plan was to bury Thant at Rangoon's Kyandaw cemetery.

All schools, colleges and universities in Burma have been closed by government following the funeral incident.

The protest has been without violence from either the students or the government. The diplomatic reports in London said a major confrontation between them probably was averted by the participation in the protest of monks, who constitute a powerful force in this South Asian Buddhist country.

Thant, 65, was secretary-general from 1961 to 1971. He died in New York, Nov. 25. His remains arrived in Rangoon Sunday and were to have been entombed Thursday night at the city's Kyandaw cemetery.

The London diplomatic reports said the body was taken with the consent of Thant's family, to Rangoon University, where it lay in state Friday under a vigil by students and Buddhist monks. The students and monks were reported to be demanding a shrine for Thant "befitting a man of his stature."

The presence in the crowd that took Thant's body of the monks, a powerful force in the South Asian Buddhist country, helped avoid a major confrontation between students and the government, the reports said.

The abduction apparently was sparked by the government's refusal to provide buses for mourners to attend Thant's funeral. The sources said the incident capped a long period of Burmese discontent with Ne Win, who has been a political foe of Thant for years.

Thant was a political ally of former premier U Nu, whom Ne Win ousted in 1962 to set up his own government.

Burma became a parliamentary democracy after gaining independence from Britain in 1948 but now is under one-party socialist rule. It is currently suffering a severe shortage of rice, the Asian staple that Burma traditionally exports.

Civil War Supper Salvaged

WASHINGTON (AP) — The whisky was watered, the brandy and bitters were off-flavor and the oysters had turned to mush.

But that wasn't surprising, since the food and drink was recently salvaged from the steamboat Bertrand which went to the bottom of the Missouri River 109 years ago.

Stored in their original bottles and cans, the goods were brought here for extensive testing in the National Canners Association laboratories.

The oysters glopped unappetizingly on to a sterile tray but smelled strongly of oysters, indicating that entombment in water and mud for more than a century had not broken the can's seal and allowed bacteria to enter.

Those who tasted the bitters, sold as a patent medicine then but popular because it contained 40 per cent alcohol, said it smacked of a "strange flavored vermouth."

The whisky, they agreed, was unpalatable, and the brandy was "awfully strong and wooden-flavored."

A bottle of tomato ketchup produced while the Civil War was raging indicated that it still contained about seven milligrams of vitamin C per 100 milligrams, roughly half the average recognized for fresh kitchup by the U.S. agriculture department.

The hand-soldered oyster can was in remarkably good condition, but the bottle corks had deteriorated.

NO SCREAMING NOW

TORONTO (CP) — A news release on George Harrison's current 26-city North American tour quotes him as saying the biggest break of his career was leaving the Beatles.

The remark took on credibility during Harrison's two concerts at Maple Leaf Gardens Friday night, when he seemed to be doing his utmost to change his image as one of the now-defunct Beatles.

What the singer-songwriter-composer lost in the process was the response from the audience that used to accompany every appearance by the group.

A few songs Harrison included from the Beatles era were noticeably changed.

Some of the lyrics were revised, but the main difference was a new sound to the familiar tunes, resulting from the revamped backup arrangements from the eight-piece band working with him on tour.

His only three numbers in the first set had him straining an already hoarse voice — evidence that more than 35 performances in just more than a month is too much for him.

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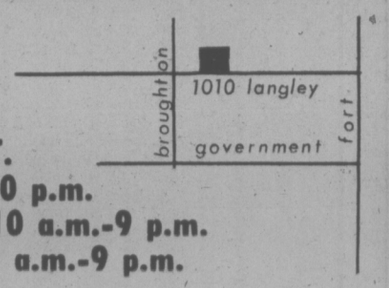

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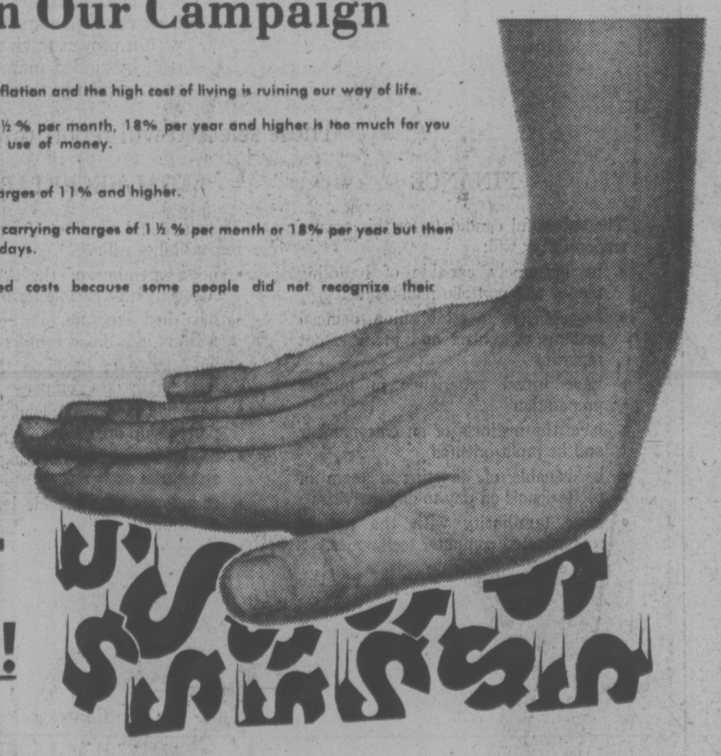

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TUESDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10:00 a.m. — Keep Fit Class; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 1:30 p.m. — Films; 7:30 — Old Time Dance, members only, 50c each.

WEDNESDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10:00 a.m. — Kitchen Band; 11:30 a.m.— Lunch; 1:00 p.m. — Chess Club, 1:15 p.m. Singsong and Concert; 1:30 p.m. — Conversational French; 7:20 p.m. — Whist; 3:00 p.m. — Bowling at Town and Country.

THURSDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10:00 a.m. — Conversational Spanish; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 2:00 p.m. — Old Time Dance.

FRIDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 1:15 p.m. — Bridge; 1:30 p.m. — Choral Group; 7:15 p.m. — Cribbage.

SATURDAY: 11:00 a.m. — Drop-in, Shuffleboard, Pool; 1:00 p.m. — Whist, Chess Club; 7:30 p.m. — "500" Card Game.

SUNDAY 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. — Drop-in.

Tickets for the New Year's Eve Dance are now on sale at the Centre.

ESQUIMALT

MONDAY; 10 a.m. — Learn to Dance Class; Jubilee Band Practice. 1:30 p.m. — Carpet bowling; oil painting with Mr. Bates; 3 p.m. — 5 pin bowling at Cush's. New players are welcome.

TUESDAY: 9 a.m. — Curling. 10 a.m. — Oil painting with Mrs. Mawby; quilting. 11 a.m. — Curling; Noon: Program Committee Meeting; 1:30 p.m. — 2nd year ceramics; oil painting with Mr. Bates; cribbage; bridge. All card players most welcome! 2 p.m. — Swimming for seniors.

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. — Silver Singers practice; liquid embroidery; 12 noon — Hot Lunch; 1:15 p.m. — Whist Party. Cards and other games to be followed by entertainment and special food. Sponsored by the Whist Club. Everyone is welcome.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. — Weaving class, beginners are welcome to join this class and learn to weave! 12 noon — NO HOT LUNCH. 1:00 p.m. — Hearing tests and consultation by audiologist 1:30 p.m. — Cards, no concert today.

FRIDAY: 9 a.m. — Curling; 10 a.m. — Learn to Carpet Bowl; quilting; 11 a.m. — curling; 1:30 p.m. — dance.

SUNDAY: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Open House. New Esquimalt Recreation Centre, 527 Fraser.

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New programs coming soon: Baking Group; Sewing Class; Swimming for Srs.

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MONDAY: 9:30 a.m. — Hampton Choir practice, billiards, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — Soup and sandwich lunch; 1 p.m. — duplicate and contract bridge; 1:30 p.m. — dressmaking, billiards, drop-ins; 7 p.m. — Hampton Happy Gang Orchestra practice.

TUESDAY: 8 a.m. — Vancouver "Park Royal" Shopping Trip; 9:30 a.m. — Carpet bowling, lapidary, billiards, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — Hot Meal; 1:30 p.m. — Progressive whist, chess, billiards, crib, drop-ins.

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. — Drop-ins, billiards, shuffleboard; 11:30 a.m. — Hot meal; 12:30 p.m. — Slides; 1:45 p.m. — Variety concert with the Hampton Choir; 3 p.m. — Nurse visit — leave name at desk for appointment.

THURSDAY: 9:30 a.m. — Carpet bowling, billiards, shuffleboard, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — Hot meal; 1:30 p.m. — Contract bridge, Advanced French, billiards, drop-ins.

FRIDAY: 9:30 a.m. — Novelty class, lapidary, billiards, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — Soup and sandwich lunch; 1:30 p.m. — Jacko, billiards, Stamp Club, drop-ins; 7:30 p.m. — Progressive Whist.

SATURDAY: 9:30 a.m. — Songmen practice; 1:30 p.m. — Cribbage, billiards, drop-ins.

SUNDAY: 2:00 p.m. — Concert Orchestra practice — Reading and record library available; volunteer drivers needed to drive handicapped members to and from the Centre.

SIDNEY

MONDAY: Dec. 9 — 9 a.m. — Centre open, cards, horseshoes, shuffleboard, library; 10 a.m. — quilting, ceramics. Noon — Lunch. 1 p.m. — French, ceramics; 2 p.m. — films.

TUESDAY: Dec. 10 — 9 a.m. — Centre open — cards, horseshoes, shuffleboard, library; 10 a.m. — oil painting, Serenaders Practice; noon — lunch; 1 p.m. — watercolors, oils; 1:15 p.m. — whist; 7 p.m. — shuffleboard.

WEDNESDAY: Dec. 11 — 9 a.m. — Centre open, cards, horseshoes, shuffleboard, library; 10 a.m. — rug hooking, novelties; 10:30 a.m. — Mahjongg, Noon — hot dinner; 2 p.m. — concert with The McQuillan Bros. from the Wig and Dickie; 7 p.m. — band practice.

THURSDAY: Dec. 12 — 9 a.m. — Centre open, cards, horseshoes, shuffleboard, library; 9:30 a.m. — carpet bowling; 10 a.m. — liquid embroidery, weaving; Noon — lunch; 1 p.m. — dressmaking, bridge, beadwork; 7 p.m. — crib.

FRIDAY: Dec. 13 — 9 a.m. — Centre open, cards, horseshoes, shuffleboard, library; 10 a.m. — needlepoint, keep fit, quilty; Noon — lunch; Parklands School Band, 1 p.m.; knitting, 1:30 p.m.; jacko; 7 p.m. — evening cards.

SATURDAY: Dec. 14 — 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. — open for drop-ins. 6:30 p.m. — Christmas Dinner Dance.

SUNDAY: Dec. 15 — 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. — open for drop-ins.

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Hearst Widow Dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Mrs. William Randolph Hearst Sr., widow of the founder of a publishing fortune, died Thursday at the age of 92, leaving three surviving sons as bulwarks of the Hearst newspaper and magazine empire.

Reachout Program Launched

A multi-phase "reachout" evangelism program in Vancouver and the Lower Mainland will be headed by Rev. George Baxter pastor of Trinity Baptist Church in Vancouver.

Some 150 area church leaders, representing 23 denominations have indicated their support for the project, to start with appointments of task forces to communicate the Reachout concept to area churches and begin research and study.

Highlight will be a 10-day Reachout to be held in the Agrodome April 1976 with the Leighton Ford team which will serve as co-ordinators and consultants.

In the new plan, rallies will be regarded as catalysts for the whole program. Ford, a 43-year-old Canadian-born Presbyterian minister is vice-president of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association.

A survey of area church leaders earlier this year resulted in the invitation to Ford to hold a reachout program here.

EXCURSION FARE CUTS?

WASHINGTON (UPI) — United Air Lines has asked the civil aeronautics board for permission to slash its excursion fares 20 to 50 per cent next year to stimulate the sagging pleasure travel market.

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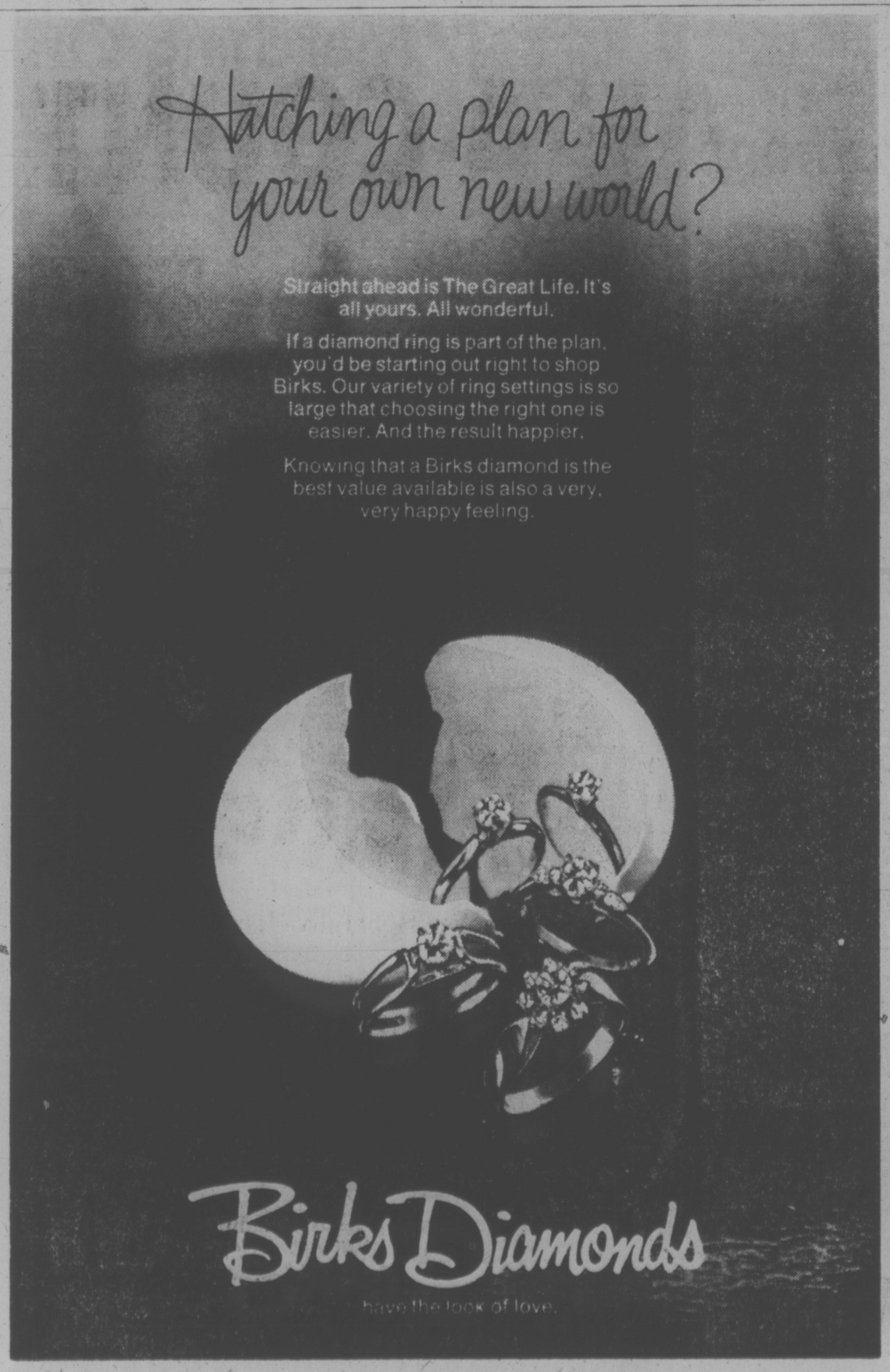

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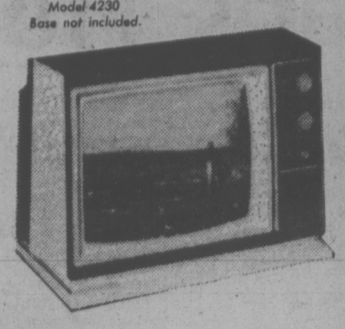

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That's How an Outlaw League Was Born

By MILTON RICHMAN

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — Nothing ever really changes. Sixty years ago, ballplayers weren't a whole lot different than they are now. They were trying every way they knew, using any device they could, to get more money from the owners.

Infielder Joe Tinker was one of them.

Whada mean you never heard of Joe Tinker? You should've. He has been in the Hall of Fame for some time now and he was the front man in what still is probably baseball's most famous lexicon — Tinker to Evers to Chance.

Anyway, it was 60 years ago, back in 1914, that all of baseball's major league owners got together for their meetings in Cincinnati, the same way they were doing here this week, and one of the things they got to discussing was how Joe Tinker was loudly demanding more money, a lot more, because Cincinnati had traded him to Brooklyn.

"I'm telling you, Charlie, he's dead serious about the money," Gerry Herrmann, the owner of the Reds said to Charlie Ebbetts, who ran the Dodgers. "If he doesn't get more, I'm sure he's going to jump to the Federal League."

Charlie Ebbetts held firm. He didn't give an inch, and it turned out exactly as Gerry Herrmann had said — Joe Tinker became the first major leaguer to jump to the Federal League with the Chicago Feds.

No sooner had he done that then all the others followed. It was that simple.

That's how the outlaw Federal League was born 60 years ago when there was no such things as domed stadiums like the ones going up here and in Seattle. The players weren't any different then. They went where the money was, the same way they do today.

There's no Federal League around now but there are a number of other leagues, all started within the past few years by go-get-'em Gary Davidson. There's the American Basketball Association, the World Hockey Association and the not-so-healthy World Football League.

The National and American League people think about the possibility of a World Baseball League and cold shivers run up and down their spines. They've got trouble enough as it is now.

But they're not naive.

They see all these new domed stadiums being built and they get the message rather loud and clear. These stadiums aren't going to just sit there empty. If they aren't brought into the National and American League orbits pretty quickly, what would there be to stop them from becoming vehicles for a possible World Baseball League structure? You think Gary Davidson hasn't thought of it? You better believe he has.

He's way ahead of most of the major league baseball people. Most, not all.

Walter O'Malley at 67, can still keep up with him.

He can project with the best of them, and part of his projection sees major league baseball in trouble up to its armpits if something isn't done, and soon, about such potential franchises as Seattle and New Orleans and such existing ones in Oakland and Baltimore, which arent' drawing people the way they should.

To help solve this sticky problem, and possibly forestall a whopping suit brought against baseball by civic officials of Seattle who are still rankled by the way the American League simply picked up and moved out five years ago, Walter O'Malley has come up with this plan of his.

Is isn't exactly an original one. He borrowed it from his former Brooklyn partner, the late Branch Rickey, who used to call it "addition by subtraction."

Basically, what O'Malley, new board chairman of the Dodgers, proposes is that baseball buy up the Oakland and Baltimore clubs and move them to Seattle and Washington.

O'Malley's alternate proposal is what he calls "a bombshell" — a third major league composed of, say, such cities as Seattle, New Orleans, Buffalo, Toronto, Denver, and Washington. This isn't really that new either. Rickey also had plans for the Continental League, which was to be a third major league.

He considered it entirely feasible. Certainly the players might not be top ranked at the start but they would all be equal generally. Rickey pointed out in time they would improve and come to be accepted as genuine major leaguers.

Where are the players for O'Malley's third major league to come from now? Easy. Present major league club player limits would be trimmed from 25 to maybe 21. Think of the money the owners would save, think of the way Marvin Miller would carry on.

Branch Rickey undoubtedly would be amused if there was some way of his knowing Walter O'Malley is borrowing some of his ideas. He and O'Malley were partners but they weren't exactly buddy-buddy.

It would be particularly ironic if O'Malley's master plan somehow solves baseball's ills. Ironic because it could be said the whole thing started with Joe Tinker in Brooklyn and now Brooklyn isn't in the League.

Even Walter O'Malley's proposed one.

bill walker

Cougars: Starry-Eyed, But Still Flying High

Another week on the hustings and varied and interesting it was too. First, there was another meeting with Jim Bishop of the National Lacrosse League and it would have to appear that right now only the very, very best, and the very, very promising of the younger players would stand a chance of making a buck in the professional circuit. The pay isn't that great, except for those who get bonuses, and the future must be uncertain as well. Still, it's a brand new field and there is absolutely nothing wrong with the game as a crowd-pleaser either. So maybe it will sell, again, as it once did here.

And it was great, too, to see May Wallis back in that familiar setting, on top of the fivepin bowling heap, and a model of courage and determination too.

Then, those Cougars are still flying high, aren't they? And this is undoubtedly, again, a tribute to coach Pat Ginnell. And if Tuesday's tie was a near thing, perhaps it was to be expected. Thirteen wins in a row is quite a fine record of accomplishment, especially with the attendant publicity, TV appearances, the whole bit.

If there were some periods in the game when some of the Cougars appeared as if they still had stars in their eyes from the TV lights, so what? They are young and this is just as new to them as it is to Victoria hockey fans. They have every right to be excited.

On the other hand, perhaps the schedule of three games in four nights caught up with them, although it seems unlikely. There have been tougher moments. Whichever, the Bruins nonetheless aren't any patsies and could be the club to knock off in the spring.

That was certainly a plum, too, getting the Czechoslovakian under-23 hockey team to play here. This is a competitive European side of the highest order and obviously will give an insight into the calibre of the game in Europe and a comparative rating to the Cougars and Western Canada hockey.

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Surprising too is that the little man with the big stick in Vancouver these nights is no longer Andre Boudrias, but rather Bobby Lalonde, the mighty mite from Montreal. And a popular transformation it has been. Last season, Lalonde, who stands all of 5'5" high and weighs in at 155 pounds, was hobbled by injuries and missed over 40 games. Besides, he scored only three goals. This season he has been the spark-plug in the Canucks' most recent surge and rise to prominence and, from all reports, was one of the best players on the ice in Tuesday's win over Minnesota.

And if his play has been a pleasant surprise to many, it probably isn't to former Canuck general manager and coach, Hal Laycoe. Hal was in charge when Lalonde was signed, and he was one of Lalonde's biggest boosters. Laycoe said then that because of Lalonde's size, it might take him a year or two to find his place, but he would, once he learned to stay clear of the crunching checks that bigger players often use to level smaller players. Lalonde, it will be recalled, came to the Canucks three years ago along with Jocelyn Guevremont and Richard Lemieux and if he was considered No. 3 then, he isn't now. He's the only one left and the new darling of the Coliseum fans.

Incidentally, there's a new covered walkway, about 20 feet wide, over the road from the main parking lot north of Empire Stadium, and up the stairs to the Pacific Coliseum. That has to be an improvement and the PNE is to be congratulated. But then, when you've got a winner, you have to treat the fans right, and it beats walking in the rain.

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Regarding calf roping and Bob Merluk's career, as outlined here, what was neglected was the undeniable fact that cowboys are athletes and must be in the finest of condition each and every day. Another reason why endless practice is so necessary. Then, of course, there was the intriguing subject of ropes. Everyone has his own can of ropes and basically a grass rope is used on nice days and a polyethelene rope in bad weather. So in its own way calf roping is an exact science as are other similar endeavours. And now, perhaps I should reveal that back in 1954 there was legal action threatened by the anti-rodeo association against the Vic Van Isle Greater Victoria rodeo for an event here? On second thought, I won't.

And to keep this colorful and entertaining sport on a higher plane, herewith is the cowboy's prayer:

". . . And when we make that last inevitable ride to the country up there beyond, where the grass grows lush, green and stirrup high, and the water runs cool, clear and deep, we ask that You as our last judge will tell us that our entry fees have been paid. Amen."

STIRRING CONTROVERSY in open badminton tournament at Racquet Club of Victoria is Vancouver's Jane Youngberg, who filed entry in men's singles and was due to make first start today in that event. Shown stroking shot during mixed doubles contest Friday, Mrs. Youngberg combined with veteran Bert Fergus for two victories. Tourney action continues tonight with finals scheduled Sunday, starting at 1 p.m.

Expos Deal Fairly to Cards

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Baseball's winter meetings have ended without the usual last-minute scramble to beat the trading deadline because the cutoff for inter-league swaps that came at midnight Friday was only a temporary end to trades between the leagues.

When the owners approved for next March an additional inter-league trading period that their general managers had requested, the urgency for dealing disappeared.

The spring training interleague trading dates of March 16-31 will be permanent, Commissioner Bowie Kuhn announced at the wind-up of the convention Friday.

Two trades were completed Friday. Veteran first baseman-outfielder Ron Fairly moved from Montreal Expos to St. Louis Cardinals for a pair of youngsters—first baseman Ed Kurpiel and infielder Rudy Kinard. And second baseman Tito Fuentes and pitcher Butch Metzger were sent from San Francisco to San Diego Padres for second baseman Derrel Thomas.

It made the Expos the most active team in the trade mart with four deals at the meetings. All told, major league teams swapped 39 players in 15 deals compared to 58 playin' 26 transactions last year.

The trade which will bear watching is acquisition of Dick Allen by Atlanta from Chicago White Sox. So far he has declined to report, but Atlanta officials are hoping the controversial slugger will change his mind.

Nothing definite was laid down during the meetings regarding expansion and possible franchise shifts but, indications are that the major leagues will add possibly four teams in 1976—most likely Seattle, New Orleans and Toronto among them.

Oddleifson Sparks Canucks' Comeback

By The Canadian Press

Curt Bennett was all set to emerge as the star of Atlanta Flames' match Friday night until Chris Oddleifson and a swarm of Vancouver Canucks ruined the party.

Bennett scored three goals to lead the Flames to a 4-2 lead after two periods of the National Hockey League game at Vancouver.

But then, Oddleifson, who had matched Bennett's first goal in the first period, scored another two to open a furious third-period rally that gave the Canucks a 7-5 victory.

In other NHL games, California Golden Seals beat Minnesota North Stars 5-3 and Philadelphia Flyers tied 3-3 with Kansas City Scouts.

The Canucks outshot Atlanta 18-4 in the third-period rally which appeared to founder midway in the period after Oddleifson's two goals tied the score 4-4. Eric Vail scored his 12th goal of the season to put Atlanta back in front 5-4 but, 34 seconds later, Gerry Meehan tied it again and goals by Paulin Bordeleau and Gerry O'Flaherty sunk the Flames.

Minnesta also staged a third-period rally, including two goals from Bill Goldsworthy, but the Seals added an empty net goal to insure their sixth win in 28 starts this season.

California led 2-0 with second period goals from Stan Weir and rookie Rick Hampton and Butch Williams picked up his third goal in two games to give California a 3-0 lead at 3:02 of the third period. Al MacAdams made it 4-0 at 10:20 when he beat Minnesota goalie Pete Lopresti with a shot from the right faceoff circle.

Minnesota scored three times in less than eight minutes— Henry Boucha and Goldsworthy were the marksmen—to cut California's lead to 4-3 but the rally ended when California's Ron Huston scored into an empty net with three seconds left.

CHRIS ODDLEIFSON
. . . three-goal effort

Saints Start Marching On

By The Canadian Press

Just a week ago, coach Harry Neale of Minnesota Fighting Saints was complaining that his club was off to a bad start and he didn't know why.

The Saints, World Hockey Assocation playoff finalists last season, had just beaten Toronto Toros to break out of last place in the West Division and Neale said: "Maybe this win will get us going."

Friday night, the Saints won their third game after one loss since the Toronto game, beating Winnipeg Jets 4-2.

The Saints narrowly missed taking over third place in the West Divisioon when, in Friday's only other game, Phoenix Roadrunners defeated Edmonton Oilers 3-1 to stay two points ahead of Minnesota.

"We've got our confidence back," said Minnesota's Wayne Connelly who scored once and helped set up two other goals in the match at St. Paul, Minn.

"We should be able to play as well as we did last year and maybe even better from here on in."

EDMONTON (1) — Mike Rogers.
PHOENIX (3) — Bob Barlow, Rob Ftorek, Jim Boyd. Attendance: 5864.

WINNIPEG (2) — Danny Spring 2, MINNESOTA (4) — George Morrison, Ron Busniuk, Ted Hampson, Wayne Connelly. Attendance: 9057.

Tabasco Temperament Hoping to Stir Clubs

Murray (Muzz) McPherson has a tabasco-sauce temperament and doesn't figure to win any popularity contests.

He'll settle for winning hockey games.

The newest member of the Western Canada Hockey League's union of coaches, McPherson is a former goaltender and professional scout who had been asked to light a fire under the Winnipeg Clubs.

There have been some signs of smoke, but McPherson feels the big fire is yet to come.

When Gord Pennell resigned as coach in October, McPherson took over a team that was working on an 11-game winless streak. They broke the run and came off a lengthy road trip with a four-game unbeaten streak.

"I couldn't remember when Winnipeg had so much success on the road. That was something," he said.

McPherson, who brought the Clubs into Victoria early Friday for tonight's Memorial Arena meeting with Victoria Cougars, feels that Winnipeg "isn't too far away" from catching fire.

"We've got the material," he feels, "and it's only a matter of getting every player to give his best for 60 minutes. They haven't been consistent, but the situation is improving."

McPherson, like Victoria coach Pat Ginnell, doesn't believe in pampering his players.

When he was appointed coach of the tier two Portage La Prairie Terriers in 1972, McPherson's first move was to trade off three holdovers who led the Manitoba League in scoring the previous season.

It stirred controversy, but Terriers went on to win the Canadian championship in 1973.

"Yet I still think there are people in Portage who haven't forgiven me for dealing off those three players," he chuckled.

The Cubs, fifth and 10 points behind fourth-place Brandon, didn't lose any ground Friday. The reviving Calgary Centennials defeated Brandon 4-3 in one of four games played.

Kamloops Chiefs edged New Westminster 5-4 to end a six-game unbeaten streak by the Bruins, Flin Flon Bombers tied Edmonton Oil Kings 4-4 and Regina Pats upset Saskatoon Blades 7-4.

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WESTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
VICTORIA	29	21	5	3	171	102	45
Medicine Hat	25	15	7	3	115	85	33
Kamloops	27	16	10	1	128	105	33
New West.	26	13	10	3	109	99	29
Edmonton	24	8	11	5	109	108	21
Calgary	27	4	18	5	91	141	13

EASTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Saskatoon	27	15	7	5	139	96	35
Regina	28	13	13	1	116	118	29
Lethbridge	28	13	13	2	119	126	28
Brandon	28	11	13	4	116	140	26
Winnipeg	25	5	14	6	91	119	16
Flin Flon	28	4	18	6	101	166	14

Next games: Tonight — Winnipeg at VICTORIA; Brandon at Medicine Hat, Flin Flon at Lethbridge.

NEW WESTMINSTER (4) — Al Cameron, Fred Berry, Steve Chipingdale, Barry Beck; KAMLOOPS (5) — Neil Lyseng 2, Brad Gassoff, Terry McDonald, Al Young. Attendance: 2237.

FLIN FLON (4) — Rich Gosselin, Blair Davidson, Kevin Marinos 2; EDMONTON (4) — Mike Will, Brent Peterson, Terry Bucyk, John Phillips. Attendance: 956.

REGINA (7) — Les Grauer 3, Mike Wirachowsky, Dave Faulkner, Al Dumba, Drew Callander; SASKATOON (4) — Bernie Federko, Del Chapman, Bruce Hamilton, Greg Valade. Attendance: 1857.

BRANDON (3) — Dale McMullin, Doug Murray, Gary Kaluzniak; CALGARY (4) — Mike Fynn, Darcy Galvon, Larry Lestander, Denny McLean. Attendance: 3200.

ALL-STAR TICKETS ON SALE

Tickets for the Western Canada Hockey League's 20th annual all-star game, scheduled Jan. 14 at Memorial Arena, will go on sale tonight at the Arena box office.

Victoria Cougars' season-ticket holders will have until Dec. 19 to pick up their tickets.

Tickets for Cougars' international exhibition game with the Czechoslovakia Young Olympics, scheduled Jan. 2, will go on sale Dec. 16.

Runners Trip Pipers

Top-ranked Oak Bay went a-crashing, but the equal surprise in high school boys' basketball play Friday was an exciting victory by Reynolds Roadrunners.

The Runners upset seventh-rated Argyle Pipers, 54-53, in a four-team exhibition tournament at Duncan. Jim Dunn and Keith Bridge each scored 12 points to spark Reynolds' win over the North Shore school.

In a second game at Duncan, Jim Callbeck dropped 16 points to power Victoria High Totems to a 67-56 victory over Semiahmoo Totems.

In Delta, North Delta Huskies, the third-rated team in British Columbia, thrashed the Bays 72-49 in an annual invitational tournament.

Host teams were also triumphant at Belmont and Spectrum.

The Braves downed Mission 73-65 while Killarney defeated Mt. Douglas Rams 72-55 in the Tomahawk tournament at Belmont. In girls' games at Belmont, Reynolds edged Penticton 34-32 and Belmont defeated Courtenay 48-41.

At Spectrum, the hosts beat McGee of Vancouver 66-48 while Prince of Wales, also from Vancouver, overpowered Campbell River 102-56.

HOCKEY TRAIL

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Providence 2, New Haven 1.
Baltimore 2, Rochester 0.
Richmond 5, Syracuse 2.
B.C. JUNIOR LEAGUE
Nanaimo 4, Bellingham 3.
Langley 7, Penticton 3.
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL
Cranbrook 10, Nelson 2.
Kimberley 7, Trail 4.
PACIFIC JUNIOR
Vancouver 6, NW Vancouver 4.
CENTRAL LEAGUE
Salt Lake 2, Dallas 1.
Fort Worth 4, Tulsa 2.
Omaha 6, Seattle 1.
Denver 9, Oklahoma City 1.
ONTARIO MAJOR JUNIOR
Kingston 12, Sudbury 2.
Hamilton 3, Sault Ste. Marie 2.
Ottawa 6, Petterborough 2.
Kitchener 6, Toronto 4.
St. Catharines 3, London 3.

COUGAR Hockey

RICK MARTIN
Centre
Saturday, 8:30 p.m.
Memorial Arena
Event No. 14
VICTORIA COUGARS
take on
WINNIPEG
Adults $3.00, Youths and Senior Citizens $1.75, Children Under 12 $1.25

Anne-Marie Wins

VAL D'ISERE, France (Reuter) — Anne-Marie Proell-Moser of Austria made up for her defeat in Wednesday's downhill when she won the women's giant slalom at the Criterium de la Premiere Neige World Cup event here today with an unofficial time of one minute 22.22 seconds.

Mrs. Proell-Moser, who won the World Cup last season, clinched the giant slalom ahead of another Austrian, Monika Kaserer, who was just half a second behind her.

Fabienne Serrat of France, the world giant slalom champion, was third, with a time of 1:22.82.

Betsy Clifford of Ottawa finished 20th with a time of 1:24.94.

Sandra in Front

MELBOURNE (Reuter) — Canadian Sandra Post had a one-stroke lead after today's second round in the $55,000 Colgate Far East women's golf tournament.

The 26-year-old Florida-based professional, formerly from Oakville, Ont., fired four birdies on the homeward nine for a two-under-par 270 and a two-round total of 144.

With 18 holes to play, Sandra leads American Marlene Hagge and Australian professional Dianne Ferguson.

Lake Cowichan Streak Hits 18

LAKE COWICHAN — It appears only a miracle may prevent Lake Cowichan from finishing on top of the Lower Island Big Six Hockey League.

The Lakers moved 15 points ahead of Stocker North Americans by defeating the second-place squad 10-2 Friday at Lake Cowichan Arena.

Eight goals in the final period helped Lakers run their undefeated streak to 18 games.

Mike Haddon, Neil Sanders and Calvin White each scored two goals while Ron Hunter, Bob Bolicki, Jim Peterson and Jim Kemp supplied singles.

Bob Merluk and Steve Andrejkew scored for Stockers, who were out-shot 46-34.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Cowichan	18	17	0	1	123	49	35
Stockers	17	9	6	2	88	76	20
Chemainus	18	6	9	3	87	87	15
Ingraham	16	4	10	2	49	96	10
James Bay	17	2	13	2	51	91	6

Next game: — Sunday — Cowichan at Chemainus.

VICTORIA FISH AND GAME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

TURKEY SHOOT
SATURDAY and SUNDAY
DECEMBER 7 and 8
at GOLDSTREAM
FIRST SHOOT AT 10 A.M. — EVERYBODY WELCOME
• CLASS A, B, C, D AND NOVICE • TRAP SHOOT
• 22 CALIBRE SHOOTS
• RUNNING DEER
ARCHERY SHOOTS
*Lucky Wheel and Circle Turkey Prizes — Refreshments

Volunteers Contribute To Curling Successes

THE CURLING SCENE

By Ernie Fedoruk

The Association of Canadian Curlers, a sort of a union of the nation's leading rock-throwers, is formed and heading in a direction that is intended to raise the status of the game as a spectator sport and, they hope, towards professionalism.

It will help their cause if they are aware of the time and hard work that goes into making success of a bonspiel.

The men's Brier and women's Lassie finals last spring were both artistic and financial success.

The Canadian men's finals at London, Ont., brought in a profit of about $30,000.

The successful Lassie show at Victoria's Memorial Arena produced a profit of $4,200.

The men have been making the Brier a paying proposition for the past 15 years. Each of the past three Lassie finals has been a black-ink production.

The week's attendance in London, 50,000, was a record figure in Eastern Canada, and I can't help but wonder if the crowds prompted the men into starting their organization.

If the motive was plum-sharing, a mercenary one, then the organization has overlooked the effort that goes into making the Brier a success.

Members of four clubs in the London-St. Thomas area worked five years on the 1974 Brier. The lion's share of the profit was shared by the four clubs.

Victoria's committee, headed by Ada Fuller, began its toil more than two years before the Lassie came to town. The $4,200 was turned over to a grateful provincial ladies' association.

Neither the Lassie nor the Brier would have been a success if the volunteers in London and Victoria had to be paid for the countless hours worked.

It's a point to remember.

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A change in the playoff format puts more meaning into the preliminary rounds of the world curling championship.

All competing countries have agreed to a modified playoff system that will provide a "bonus" to the first-place team, providing the team comes through the nine-game series undefeated.

If the leader winds up with a 9-0 won-lost record, that rink goes straight into the final while the second and third-place teams play off in a sudden-death semi-final to determine the other finalist.

If the first-place team has lost one or more games, however, the present playoff system involving four countries will continue in effect.

The "bonus" plan still doesn't rule out the possibility that a rink can lose only one game — the final — and be considered an also-ran to a rink that had lost two games, say the third-place finisher.

Personally, I think a more suitable format is the one used in the Canadian senior men's softball championship. Four semi-finalists are determined by round-robin play and then move into a double-knockout series to determine the winner.

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LOOSE STRAWS: The prize-winners in the men's bonspiel at Playland, which winds up Sunday, get to pick their rewards off the table . . . It's a trend that has rapidly gained popularity in both curling and golf tournaments . . . And definitely sensible . . . Almost every prize-winner is ready to pass up an item of higher value for a prize he can use . . .

The turkey shoot season is upon us . . . Racquet Club's is Dec. 13 while Victoria and Esquimalt clash on Dec. 14 . . . Playland's shoot is Dec. 19.

Time also is running out for men's rinks interested in entering the men's Consols playdowns . . . Entry deadline for the South Island zone test is Dec. 27 . . . The 14th annual Christmas mixed 'spiel at Esquimalt starts Dec. 27 . . .

BOWLER OF WEEK

Capturing honors in Times Bowler-of-the-Week competition for third time in last four seasons in Sue Girton, who fired 816 series to lead women's fivepin division in ninth week of 12th annual event. Sue earned weekly award by rolling games of 233, 269 and 314 in Tuesday Legion League at Cush's Bowl.

Champs Rebound To Reach Top Berth

The defending champions came bouncing back Friday in the annual British Columbia high school boys' volleyball tournament.

Winner of the provincial crown for the last six years, Revelstoke appeared in trouble after losing twice on Thursday. But the champions rebounded with power in Friday's action, running up six straight victories to take the lead in the "B" division of the tournament being played at Mt. Douglas.

Vernon, defeated by Revelstoke in last year's final, emerged as the only unbeaten school in the 18-team competition by stretching its record to 12-0 in the "A" section.

Victoria High held second place in the "B" division with a 9-3 record and seems virtually certain of a playoff berth, as does Prince George (11-1) in the "A" division.

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Division "A"

Vernon	12-0
Prince George	11-1
Prince Rupert	8-2
Mt. Douglas	8-4
Mission	6-6
Carson Graham (Vancouver)	3-9
Sparwood	3-11
Ogden (100-Mile House)	2-10
Courtenay	1-11

Division "B"

Revelstoke	10-2
Victoria	9-3
Esquimalt	7-5
Kamloops	6-4
Queen Elizabeth (Surrey)	6-8
J. L. Crowe (Trail)	5-7
South Delta	4-8
Templeton (Vancouver)	4-8
Mackenzie	3-9

The top three teams after the round-robin preliminaries advance to the playdowns. Second and third-place finishers in each division play off to meet the divisional winners in the semi-finals.

Tonight's quarter-finals start at 6, the semi-finals at 7:30 and the championship showdown at 9.

Mixed Race

Runners, like water, get a chance to find their own level in the Victoria Flying "Y" Track Club's 21-Mile Mixed Relays.

There are divisions for everyone. The sixth annual event, scheduled to start at 1 p.m. Sunday at Beacon Hill Park, also is open to everybody.

Categories range from tykes (10 and under) to mosters (30 and over).

Do-it Yourself TIPS

CLEANING METAL — Copper, brass and pewter may be cleaned successfully by applying a paste made with equal parts of flour, vinegar and salt. Let the paste stay on for about an hour; then rub it off and wash the metal with warm water before polishing.

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SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT

BADMINTON
5 P.M. — Continuation of play in Racquet Club of Victoria open tournament, Racquet Club.

HOCKEY
8:30 p.m.—Western Canada League, Victoria Cougars vs. Winnipeg Clubs, Memorial Arena.
8:15 p.m.—South Vancouver Island Junior "B" League, Esquimalt vs. Lake Cowichan, Lake Cowichan Arena.

BASKETBALL
7 and 8:30 p.m. — Consolation and final games in annual Dockers high school boys' tournament, Esquimalt High School.
7 and 8:30 p.m.—Consolation and final games in annual Braves high school boys' tournament, Belmont High School.
7 and 8:30 p.m.—Consolation and final games in annual Thunderbirds high school boys' tournament, Cowichan High School.
8 p.m.—High school boys' exhibition, Prince of Wales (Vancouver) vs. Spectrum, Spectrum Community School.
7 and 8:30 p.m.—Senior "A" Inter-City Women's League, Saanich Westerners vs. Vancouver Jones, Victoria Saints vs. Vancouver Buzz Bombs, Central Junior High School.

SUNDAY

HOCKEY
11:45 a.m. — Junior "B" exhibition, Saanich Braves vs. Portland Reps, Pearkes Arena.
2 p.m.—South Island Big Six League, Chemainus Blues vs. Lake Cowichan Lakers, Fuller Lake Arena.
3 p.m.—South Vancouver Island Junior "B" League, Juan de Fuca vs. Lake Cowichan, Juan de Fuca Arena.

BASKETBALL
1:00 AND 2:30 p.m.—Senior "A" Inter-City Women's League, Saanich Westerners vs. Vancouver Buzz Bombs, Victoria Saints vs. Vancouver Jonos, Central Junior High School.

RUGBY
2:30 P.M. — Victoria Union, first division, Cowichan vs. James Bay Athletic Association, Duncan.
1 p.m.—Victoria Union, second division, Royal Roads, vs. UVic Norsemen, Royal Roads.

SOCCER
2:15 p.m. — Island League, premier division, Gorge vs. London Boxing Club, Heywood Avenue Park; UVic Vikings vs. Victoria West, UVic.
2:15 p.m.—Island League, second division, London Boxing Club vs. Oak Bay, Central Park; Saanich Jaycees vs. Labatts, Blanshard Field; Saanich Braves vs. Victoria West, Centennial Park; Royals vs. Island Pacific Oilers, Lambrick Park.
2:15 p.m.—Island League, third division, Da Vinci vs. Nanaimo, Hyacinth Park; Duncan vs. Tsawout, Duncan; Castaways vs. Saanich Braves, Carnarvon Park; Saanich Jaycees vs. Edelweiss Kickers, Reynolds Road Park; Buccaneers vs. London Boxing Club, Colville Road Park; Oak Bay vs. Glen Meadows, Hinderson Park.

RUNNING
1:00 p.m.—Start of Sixth Annual 21-Mile Mixed Relays, Beacon Hill Park.

BADMINTON
8:30 a.m. — Start of final day's play in annual Racquet Club tournament. Finals begin at 1 p.m., Racquet Club.

HOCKEY

MONDAY
8:15 p.m. — South Island Big Six League, Ingraham Buckaroos vs. Lake Cowichan Lakers, Memorial Arena.

BASKETBALL
7:00 and 8:30 p.m.—Victoria Senior "B" Men's League, Stevens Interiors vs. Victoria Juniors, Hotel Douglas vs. James Bay Athletic Association, Royal Oak Junior High School.

LOU HARRIS
. . . in dream backfield

Reed Just Gets Better; All-Star for 9th Time

TORONTO (CP) — Some football players make an all-star team on performance; others make it on reputation.

George Reed does it on both.

The Saskatchewan Roughriders fullback, who many feel could have been just as great in the National Football League as he is in Canada, has been named to the Western Football Conference all-star team for the ninth time in 10 years.

Selections by the Football Reporters of Canada were announced Friday night.

Reasons for Reed's perennial all-star status are obvious.

While 13 years of hammering away at opposing defences in the Canadian Football League would slow most runners, the 34-year-old rambler from Washington State just gets better.

The six-foot 205-pounder led all rushers in the country again this year—for the sixth time—with 1,447 yards, padding his career total yardage to an all-pro record of 14,622 and marking the 10th season in which he has exceeded the 1,000-yard plateau—extending another all-pro record.

Both marks were held previously by fullback Jimmy Brown of the NFL's Cleveland Browns who retired in 1965 to pursue a movie career.

Reed's five touchdowns this season gave him a career total of 126, tying another of Brown's all-pro marks.

Selectors made it a dream backfield when Lou Harris of British Columbia Lions and Roy Bell of Edmonton Eskimos were also runaway choices for the other running-back positions.

The only other rusher given consideration in voting by the Football Reporters of Canada was Monroe Eley of B.C., the fourth player in the West to gain more than 1000 yards.

An almost unanimous choice at quarterback was Tom Wilkinson of Edmonton, previously picked as top player in Canada this year. Wilkinson tied his own CFL record for passing efficiency with 173 completions on 262 attempts.

The Eskimos, who finished first in the West, and runner-up Saskatchewan each placed six players on the team. Calgary Stampeders had five and B.C. and Winnipeg Blue Bombers four each. There was a tie for one offensive position.

Bell, second in rushing in the WFC with 1341 yards and four touchdowns on 286 rushes, is a repeater from 1973, while Harris, with 1239 yards and eight touchdowns on 222 carries, is a first-time all-star.

Other members of the dazzling backfield are Tom Forzani of Calgary, chosen for the second straight year at one wide-receiver spot, and Rudy Linterman, also of Calgary, tied with Tom Scott, the brilliant Winnipeg rookie, at the other.

OFFENCE

Quarterback — Tom Wilkinson, Edmonton; running backs — George Reed, Saskatchewan; Lou Harris, B.C.; Roy Bell, Edmonton; wide receivers — Tom Forzani, Calgary; Rudy Linterman, Calgary and Tom Scott, Winnipeg (tied); tight end — Tyrone Walls, Edmonton; tackles — Charlie Turner, Edmonton; Larry Watkins, Edmonton; guards — Curtis Wester, B.C.; Ralph Galloway, Saskatchewan; centre — Bob Swift, Winnipeg.

DEFENCE

Ends — George Wells, Saskatchewan; Jim Heighton, Winnipeg; tackles — John Helton, Calgary; Garret Hunsperger, B.C.; middle linebacker — Ray Nettles, B.C.; corner linebackers — Pete Wysocki, Saskatchewan; Roger Goree, Calgary; defensive backs — Lorne Richardson, Saskatchewan; Paul Williams, Winnipeg; Larry Highbaugh, Edmonton; Ted Provost, Saskatchewan; Howard Starks, Calgary

Southern Cal Linebacker Three-Time All-American

NEW YORK (AP) — Richard Wood, Southern California's brilliant linebacker, was named to The Associated Press all-America college football team today for the third year in a row.

Southern California, Oklahoma and Ohio State each had two players on the select squad.

Other repeaters were linebacker Rod Shoate of Oklahoma and defensive end Randy White of Maryland, winner of the Outland Trophy as the best lineman in the United States. Shoate and White were named to the all-America team for the second time.

Wood was joined on the elite 1974 team by his Southern Cal team-mate, running back Anthony Davis. The other representative from top-ranked Oklahoma is running back Joe Washington.

The third running back is Archie Griffin, Ohio State's Heisman Trophy winner. The other Ohio State player is offensive guard Steve Myers, who began the season as a centre but switched positions when a broken hand made it impossible for him to snap the ball.

The all-America quarterback is Steve Bartkowski of California, who led the Golden Bears back to prominence and was the U.S. passing leader. Bartkowski completed 182 of 325 passes for 2,580 yards and 12 touchdowns and was intercepted only seven times.

Griffin, named the Heisman Trophy winner earlier in the week, led all running backs with 1,620 yards this season. He has rushed for more than 100 yards in 22 consecutive regular season games—an all-time college record—plus the 1974 Rose Bowl.

Davis is the only player in Pacific 8 Conference history to rush for more than 1,000 yards in each of three seasons. This year, he gained 1,354 yards, scored 18 touchdowns and broke O.J. Simpson's school and conference career rushing mark. He also holds the National Collegiate record of six career kickoff returns for touchdowns.

OFFENCE

Centre — Rick Bonness, Nebraska.
Guards — Ken Huff, North Carolina; Steve Myers, Ohio State.
Tackles — Craig Hertwig, Georgia; Al Krevis, Boston College.
Tight end — Dennis Cunningham, Clemson.
Wide receiver — Pete Demmerle, Notre Dame.
Running backs — Archie Griffin, Ohio State; Anthony Davis, Southern California; Joe Washington, Oklahoma.
Quarterback — Steve Bartkowski, California.

DEFENCE

Tackles — Doug English, Texas; Mike Hartenstine, Penn State.
Guard — Louie Kelcher, Southern Methodist.
Ends — Randy White, Maryland; Leroy Cook, Alabama.
Linebackers — Richard Wood, Southern California; Rod Shoate, Oklahoma; Ken Bernish, Auburn.
Backfield — Dave Brown, Michigan; Pat Thomas, Texas A & M; John Provost, Holy Cross.

Hockey Vikings Grab First Place

University of Victoria Vikings claimed sole possession of first place in the Vancouver Island Hockey League Friday by defeating CFB Esquimalt 6-2 at the Sports Centre.

Vikings, who out-shot Esquimalt 57-27, moved two points ahead of London Boxing Club. The Boxers, however, have two games in hand.

Goalie Ray Chenier was outstanding for Esquimalt, especially in the opening period when he made 23 stops.

Jim Gustafson scored twice for Vikings with Dave Killick, Randy Frantz and Jim Inglis adding one each. Steve Blanchard and Skip Solomon scored Esquimalt's goals.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
UVic Vikings	8	5	3	0	43	34	10
London Boxing	6	4	2	0	30	22	8
CFB Esquimalt	6	1	5	0	22	39	2

Bill Walton Might Quit

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Bill Walton, the former UCLA star now in his rookie season with the Portland Trail Blazers of the National Basketball Association, is considering leaving professional basketball.

"I will tell you he is doing some soul searching and it does involve whether or not to continue pro basketball — it's something more complicated than that," Sam Gilbert Walton's personal adviser, said in a telephone interview.

PRO BASKETBALL

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Buffalo 114, Portland 105.
Detroit 117, Cleveland 91.
Seattle 121, New Orleans 108.
Los Angeles 100, Atlanta 84.
Boston 120, Houston 114.
Milwaukee 99, Chicago 96.
New York 96, Philadelphia 88.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
New York 113, San Diego 92.
San Antonio 114, Virginia 95.

NHL SUMMARIES

NORRIS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Los Angeles	24	13	2	9	74	39	35
Montreal	27	13	6	8	115	83	34
Pittsburgh	24	9	11	4	99	90	22
Detroit	24	8	14	2	69	102	18
Washington	26	2	21	3	59	139	7

PATRICK DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Philadelphia	26	16	6	4	97	60	36
Atlanta	28	13	10	5	78	76	31
NY Rangers	24	11	8	5	91	72	27
NY Islanders	25	9	8	8	85	72	26

SMYTHE DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Vancouver	27	17	6	4	107	76	38
Chicago	24	11	10	3	85	59	25
Minnesota	27	9	14	4	78	105	22
St. Louis	24	8	11	5	76	88	21
Kansas City	25	4	19	2	61	113	10

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	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Buffalo	28	20	4	4	135	90	44
Boston	25	12	7	6	107	79	30
Toronto	24	6	13	5	81	101	17
California	28	6	17	5	67	120	17

Next Games: Tonight — N.Y. Rangers at Chicago; Kansas City at N.Y. Islanders; Atlanta at Los Angeles; Pittsburgh at Montreal; Washington at St. Louis; Detroit at Toronto.

ATLANTA 5, VANCOUVER 7.

First Period
1. Atlanta, Bennett (12), (Lemieux, Romanchych) 7:02.
2. Vancouver, Oddleifson (7), (Bordeleau, Gould) 12:18.
Penalties: Hextall (A) 1:16, Dalley (V) 5:07, Bennett (A) (major) and Boddy (V) 8:23; Hextall (A) 11:48, Dailey (V) 15:55.

Second Period
3. Atlanta, Bennett (13), 7:29.
4. Atlanta, Bennett (14), (Lemieux) 11:32.
5. Atlanta, Ecclestone (3), (Vail, Romanchych) 17:07.
6. Vancouver, Monahan (7), (Lever, Dalley) 18:36.
Penalties: Bialowas (A) 2:32, Bouchard (A) and O'Flaherty (V) 10:45, Hextall (A) 18:07, Bordeleau (V) 18:53.

Third Period
7. Vancouver, Oddleifson (8), (Pratt) 1:27.
8. Vancouver, Oddleifson (9), (Gould, Dailey) 4:32.
9. Atlanta, Vail (12), (Harvey, Lysiak) 10:00.
10. Vancouver, Meehan (5), (Monahan, O'Flaherty) 10:34.
11. Vancouver, Bordeleau (8), (Oddleifson) 14:23.
12. Vancouver, O'Flaherty (6), (Meehan) 19:29.
Penalties: none.
Stops by:

Bouchard (A)	7	16	13	— 36
Smith (V)	9	10	3	— 22

Attendance: 15,570.

PHILA. 3, KANSAS CITY 3

First Period
1. Philadelphia, Leach ((11), (Clarke, Barber) 1:30.
2. Philadelphia, Kelly (6), (Clement) 3:46.
3. Kansas City, Powis (3), (Lefley, Nolet) 17:28.
Penalty — Clarke (P) 6:22.

Second Period
4. Kansas City, Rota (5), (Dube, Patterson) 5:08.
5. Kansas City, Rota (6), Lemieux, McElmury) 15:18.
Penalties — Dornhoefer (P) 7:38, Dupont (P) (double minor and major), Powis (KC) (major), Parent (P) and Plasse (KC) 13:19, Saleski (P) and Hudson (KC) 20:00.

Third Period
6. Philadelphia, Leach (12), (Clarke) 12:12.
Penalties — Dube (KC) 6:57, Dornhoefer (P) 8:34.
Stops by:

Parent (P)	8	6	3	— 17
Plasse (KC)	8	6	12	— 26

Attendance: 9871.

MINNESOTA 3, CALIF. 5

First Period
No scoring.
Penalties: Drouin (M) (double major), Johnston (C) (minor and major) 1:20; Stanfield (M) 2:16, Hampton (C) 2:48, Nanne (M) and MacAdam (C) (majors) 4:05, Williams (C) and Reid (M) 8:17, Lavender (C) 16:23.

Second Period
1. California, Weir (11), (Johnston, B. Stewart) 11:55.
2. California, Hampton (3), (Weir, Johnston) 19:25.
Penalties — Patey (C) 3.06, Barrett (M) 6:44, Flesch (M) 17:54.

Third Period
3. California, Williams (4), (Hrechosky, Huston) 3:02.
4. California, MacAdam (3), (Patey, Johnston) 10:20.
5. Minnesota, Boucha (11), (Flesch, Drouin) 11:26
6. Minnesota, Goldsworthy (17), (Hextall, Nanne) 14:47.
7. Minnesota, Goldsworthy (18), (Parise, Hextall) 18:45.
8. California, Huston (6), (Hrechosky) 19:59.
Penalty — Barrett (M) 5:13.
Stops by:

LoPresti (M)	6	11	8	— 25
Meloche (C)	9	13	5	— 27

Attendance: 5461.

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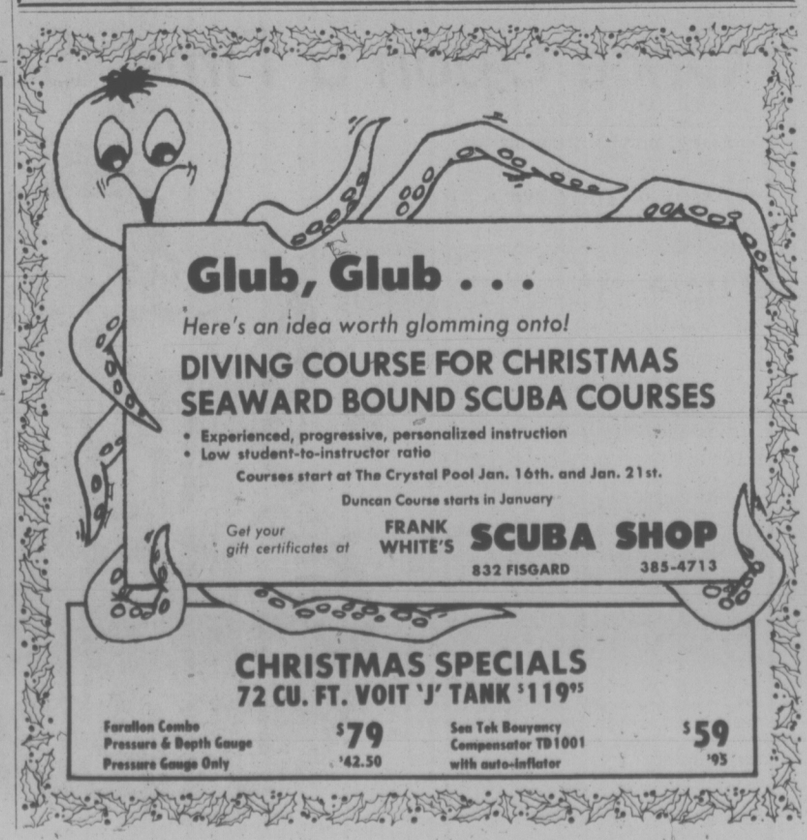

Christmas Books

A Sensuous Celebration

By GEORGE OAKE

ROLOFF BENY IN ITALY. Text and Anthology by Anthony Thwaite and Peter Porter. McClelland and Stewart. $40.00.

A volume of grace and elegance which mirrors antiquity falls prey to ridicule, even charges of pretentiousness, in our utilitarian age.

The children are not interested in "the charm of Italy" as something "akin to that of being in love," as Stendahl put it. Marakesh and Katmandu are more exotic shrines today.

As Beny hopes, this gilded, awkward (in the physical sense) book will ". . . help those who cannot travel — and those more fortunate who do — to recapture and perhaps reassess their own experience." Like all of his photographic memorabilias it is full of pictorial insights and contains a sense of style and place.

Yet I was left with a sense of sterility, a country carved in bas reflief. The text refers to the continuity of the ages in Italy. On Rome's Via del Corso bits and pieces of old Roman buildings are plastered into modern walls; in the Sammonite hill town of Saepena farmers have constructed their homes on the very steps of the old Roman theatre.

Aside from a few pictures of modern day Italy this continuity is lost here. Frescoes, statues and cathedrals abound but the threads from ancient to medieval and modern are not followed through. The result is a warm look at the past.

Perhaps I am too hard on Beny's lens. It is he, this boy from Medicine Hat, Alberta, who has lived in Rome the past 25 years, and he knows and revels in his subject, which is the past.

In Paestum — an ancient Greek colony in Campania near the Tyrenhian Sea — the artist does not try for the clever shot. He stands in the middle of the Basilica and photographs through the doric columns to portray the temple of Neptune. It would be a typical beautifully composed Beny photograph except for the birds. Yes, there are birds sitting on the top of Neptune's temple. Birds. Only Beny could evoke the feeling. Instantly one realizes that if he or she had been standing in the basilica 2,500 years ago and looked across at Neptune's temple, birds were probably sitting there then. It is the difference between photography and art.

Another haunting plate is that of the Appian way. Not for Beny the warm tufa or granite of the tombs that line this ancient roadway from Rome to Brindisi. He takes a stark picture, almost a negative — I can't describe the technical process — which gives us a ghostly black and white vision of the most famous roadway of them all. Without a word the photograph conjures an atavistic ghost — a million hell-bent chariot rides; slaves clanking along in chains, and tired haggard armies smelling of sweat, leather and blood. The ghost is our history, our heritage. It is mankind. How and what made Beny form this photograph in this way, I will never know. But it is almost Jungian, something out of the collective unconscious and art of high degree.

In essence this is a romantic work, a grand sweep through time as only can be found in the Italian peninsula. Perhaps that's why it doesn't quite hit the mark in today's pragmatic world. Perhaps Beny is too close to his subject matter. His life has been a pleasure of ruins, and the world is no longer romantic as it stumbles along, wallowing in the new materialism, making ruins of all that went before.

This is plain in Gore Vidal's off-key epilogue in which he states with the supreme cynicism born of satisfaction: ". . . a city which calls itself 'eternal' is obviously the best place to watch eternity go down the drain."

As Shelley said, Italy is "a paradise of exiles."

If I had $40 to spend on a book, I would buy this celebration of sensuousness past. Given the money to spend on such a record, it will probably eventually cost you between $2,000 and $5,000 because you will want to go to the source and rub your hands on the three remaining pillars of Castor's temple in the Roman forum to see and feel the country of light.

Beny has failed and triumphed in this volume, but the Moslems, Saracens, Goths and Normans did no better.

Finny Facts Like Sci-Fi

By PAT BARCLAY

Mind in the Waters is described on its title page as "a book to celebrate the consciousness of whales and dolphins," which makes it a coffee-table book with a porpoise. (Sorry about that. I promise not to indulge in any more finny puns.)

The mind behind Mind belongs to Joan McIntyre, founder and head of Project Jonah, the international group of concerned people dedicated to the protection and understanding of whales and dolphins, and to the establishment of a world moratorium on their commercial killing. Ms. McIntyre founded Project Jonah in 1972, and is devoting five years of her life to it. "Anything is possible if you set your mind to it," she has declared.

In the days when whaling ships went on sea voyages lasting up to five years or so, their catches averaged one whale a month. "Today, and for the past 50 years, a typical catcher boat (of a retinue that accompanies each vast factory ship where whales are butchered in 15 minutes and their remains melted down) will harpoon one whale a day. More than 40,000 whales were killed in 1969." The facts are there, for anyone with stomach enough to study them. So read Mind in the Waters at your own risk. It's likely to affect you more than you'd thought possible.

The book opens with an emotion-charged excerpt from Farley Mowat's A Whale for the Killing. This is followed by a section on Greek dolphin mythology which I found scatterbrained, but fascinating. Various chapters describe the physiology, migration patterns and brain structure of the whale ("though we know very little about what cetaceans do with their large brains, we can be sure that such impressive structures would not have evolved it they were not being used."). A final section deals with the whaling industry, past and present, and advises the reader how to go about joining Project Jonah. But the highlights of the book are those chapters written by researchers who work in close contact with whales and dolphins. Their discoveries are more than exciting — they're mind-boggling.

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"We began to have feelings which I believe are best described by the word weirdness," writes John Lilly of his experiments with a bottlenosed dolphin who "seemed more and more to be forming words in our own language." Another researcher describes his efforts to teach a dolphin to pronounce her name, then describes her efforts to teach him to speak dolphinese. Paul Spong, who worked with killer whale Skana at the Vancouver Public Aquarium, tells how she taught him, by patient demonstration, that he had nothing to fear from her. And so on. Mind in the Waters brims with recorded examples of cetacean intelligence and ingenuity, which appear to be limited only by our own ability to comprehend them.

There's another strain running through the book, however, and it's a dark one. It's about man and his relationship with nature. If whales could write as well as think and vocalize, they'd produce a sorry history of man. Unless their capacity for love, humor and generosity got in the way, that is.

The extraordinary thing about Mind in the Waters is that it reads like science fiction, yet is actual fact. "Anything is possible," said Ms. McIntyre, stating her conviction that man's headlong greed can be controlled before it is too late to save the whales from extinction. I hope she's right.

MIND IN THE WATERS, edited by Joan McIntyre. McClelland and Stewart. $14.95.

SEA CAMERAS

By TORCHY ANDERSON

THE GOLDEN SEA, by Joseph E. Brown. Musson. $19.95.

Today some of the most beautiful and unique color photographs come from under the sea. More people are finding fascinating the sport of diving. For others it is a business — and in treasure hunting sometimes a profitable business.

It was in 1893 that an inventive French zoologist, Louis Boutan, donned a diving suit and helmet and struggled under water with a huge box that weighed several hundred pounds. It was sealed with heavy bolts and boat caulking. It contained a camera and when he surfaced he brought up the first known underwater photograph.

In 1974 boys and girls, men and women, skip into the ocean depths from almost every beach. When they carry cameras they take pictures with light equipment capable of remarkable results.

The photographs in this beautiful big book are eloquent testimony to the excellence of the cameras and the high skill of some diving photographers. Divers, equipped with splendid lighting equipment, look for beauty, picture the remains of ships thousands of years old.

Mountain Artists

THE MOUNTAINS AND THE SKY, by Lorne E. Render. McClelland and Stewart. $27.50.

Among the men who penetrated the Canadian West before and during the building of the Canadian Pacific Railway made Canada an entity, were artists. Some are remembered; some are forgotten. But all had one faculty in common: inspiration to sketch and paint. No doubt some of their work has been lost, some destroyed. But the Glenbow Institute in Calgary has preserved many of their inspired works.

The West was a land of high sky and high peaks and many of the earliest works show the inspiration this country engendered. They caught the dawn on the prairies, the high peaks slumbering at noon and the great land going to rest in glorious sunsets.

To those earliest travellers the land was a challenge to see what was over the next hill. And the artists paused to make their pictorial notes. They caught the mood of the mountains and the mad rush of the rivers. They had time to look. Theirs was no glimpse by rail or highway or from the air.

This book is not only a handsome piece of book-making and an artistic triumph, but also an impressive historical document.—T.A.

The Owl Kingdom

By HAROLD HOSFORD

THE BOOK OF OWLS, by Lewis Wayne Walker. Random House. $14.25.

Lewis Walker was smitten with owl-watching early in life. From the night in February 1926, when the explosive screech of a barn owl caught his ear while waiting for a train, until he died in 1971, Walker devoted much of his life to the study of owls. The Book of Owls is primarily an account of his experiences with these birds during those years and of the discoveries he made about their lives.

Most of the North American owls are included in Walker's accounts, but for three, with which he had little experience, he turned to other owl-watchers for support. Thus, Bert Harwell's chapter on Pygmy Owls, Grace Maddock Miller's experiences with Spotted Owls, and Al Oeming's saga of the Great Grey Owl in northern Alberta, help to round out the book.

It Takes Big Book To Encompass Big Man

By JAMES McCOOK

THE SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD ALBUM, by Lena Newman. Tundra. $25.00.

MACDONALD
. . . tough but genial.

Sir John A. Macdonald would have been amused to find himself captured within this book, "the largest pictorial history ever published in Canada," according to the publisher's claim. It is 10 by 14½ inches and has 369 illustrations with innumerable pithy paragraphs to prove the first prime minister was witty as well as wise.

More than any other past prime miinister, Macdonald holds the interest of Canadians. The reasons are here, in this collection of pictures and anecdotes. Macdonald was charming, ruthless, adroit and forgiving — one of his gems of wisdom was that a man in public life should have no resentments. He could laugh at cartoons which would have infuriated several of his successors.

He did not seek a fortune for himself but he was pulled down for a space by the Pacific Scandal. He proclaimed that he had clean hands but it was shown he had asked for "another" $10,000 from the railway promoters.

What he did he did for party, he claimed. Certainly he never knew the comforts of riches. He was usually in debt and pressed by creditors; the Conservatives looked on him not only as leader but as the collector of campaign funds. When Macdonald asked for money in 1872 he sought for means to win re-election for his party, which would complete Confederation by uniting British Columbia with the rest of the Dominion through a railway; until that was done the Dominion could be little more than a "geographical expression."

In his dramatic five-hour speech in his own defence in the House of Commons, Macdonald, according to this album, was "completely fatigued and extremely drunk." He ended with an emotional statement that no man in Canada had given more of his time, heart, wealth, intellect and power for the good of the Dominion.

In the ensuing election the Tories were cast out for five years but swept back to power in 1878 although Macdonald himself was defeated in Kingston and was given a seat in Victoria. He visited this city and his constituents in 1886 with Lady Macdonald, travelling across Canada on the CPR which had been so much associated with his weal and woe in Parliament.

Lena Newman gives much information on Sir John's drinking habits and some of the reasons for them. His first wife, Isabella, was in poor health for 13 of their 14 years of married life and subdued the pain with opium. His first son died when little more than an infant and he was much concerned over the health of the second, who survived. His daughter by his second marriage, Mary, suffered from hydrocephalus — water on the brain — and could not walk. She died in 1933, aged 64; that was 42 years after the death of her father, a loving parent if ever there was one. Amid the press of business he found time to read to her, share jokes, write her letters and pretend that his "Baboo", his pet name for her, was his help and comfort.

The strains and disappointments of life, alas, sent John A. to the bottle. He would shut himself up in his bedroom and drink wine, reading papers taken to him but doing no business. Tales of his failing were numerous. Once, approached by a man who said he was a member of the Temperance Society, Macdonald said, "Move over. Your breath is positively awful; it smells of water."

He was a master politician. At riotous election meetings, he could soothe drunken crowds and bring from them the old, old cry, "You'll never die, John A."

The publisher of the album remarks that the story of Macdonald's 50-year friendship with Mrs. Eliza Grimason of Kingston had been "censored out of Canadian history books." All that is printed now suggests no censor was ever needed. Mrs. Grimason was a successful innkeeper and her establishment was John A.'s unofficial political headquarters. She was a devoted follower — but so were thousands of other Canadian women. The fact that she once said Lady Macdonald was plain is hardly sinful and nothing much can be made of her grave being near that of Macdonald in the cemetery near Kingston.

Macdonald was a genial, kindly man; his friends were everywhere. Perhaps he stretched the truth now and then, maybe his code of political ethics was not very strict, probably many of his policies deserved criticism, but this handsome book is another agreeable testimonial to his greatness. As T. C. Douglas said, viewing John A. through the eyes of a modern politician, "Macdonald was an immigrant who made good and who made Canada in the process."

Erasmus: Wisdom And Wit

By DOUGAL FRASER

THE CORRESPONDENCE OF ERASMUS, Letters 1 to 141, translated by R. A. B. Mynors and D. F. S. Thomson, annotated by Wallace K. Ferguson. University of Toronto Press. $25.00.

This volume of correspondence is the first in a projected series of forty that will deal with the range of Erasmus' work and show the influence he had over Humanist thought in Europe.

His letters are a delight to read. They illuminate a disciplined mind in uninhibited conversation with his friends, among whom numbered the best thinkers of the age. Wittily riddled with classic allusions, adages and aphorisms, they exhibit evidence of a keen intellect and spry humor united in the quest for knowledge unencumbered with cant.

As his letters were never intended for publication they are freer in range than his more formal writings and this very freedom allows for the trenchant wit that he commanded to home in on the subject matter at issue, deal with it and dismiss it. This might range from Christ's Passion, to the dangers of travel, the dangers of ever-present robbery and plague, differing rates of monetary exchange to scholarly jealousy over manuscripts—for at a time when there were no books but what copyists could make, manuscripts were extremely valuable.

At that time (about 1500) scholars were dependent on the good will and financial contributions of wealthy patrons and several of Erasmus' letters might be viewed as begging letters. However, there was no shame attendant upon such requests; it was a fact of life and considered as such.

Beside benefactions, Erasmus, like others, depended for money on the profits of publication — not many when there was no copyright — and the tutoring of students. The letters are full of comments upon his charges, either good or bad, as they measured up to his expectations.

It might appear that this book was designed by several great experts for the edifications of other great experts — certainly it is a scholarly work. But it is the essential humanity of Erasmus that shines through his letters. A thinking man not content to use a word but to employ the right word. To banter, to cajole, to relate life to his friends.

It is a fascinating volume. The Dutch realist, aware of the ignorance surrounding him, threw out lifelines of communication to anyone who might assist him in his personal quest to know. The editors are to be congratulated on such a fine beginning and on achieving as high a level of mastery over their subject, Erasmus, as he did himself.

Once Upon a Time, Santa Lit Up Too

By DAVID DUNSMUIR

THE BOOK OF PIPES AND TOBACCO, by Carl Ehwa, Jr. Random House. $14.95.

Yes, Santa Claus, there is a Virginia. There's a Red Mottled Virginia and an Old Belt Virginia, as well as a Xanthi, a Samsun-Bafra, and a stalk-cured Latakia.

Could you arrange to stash a little of each in my pouch this Christmas?

Times are not what they were, Santa. Advertisers took away the long clay pipe you used to smoke. They said it was a bad influence on your admirers; incidentally, what did they put in its place?

You'll understand how I feel about this new tax on us long-suffering smokers. Moral judgments are being smuggled into the tax system again, just as they were when James I taxed the stuff beyond the price of silver with a forty-fold increase. His predecessor, Elizabeth I, had more sense — but she liked a pipeful herself.

In case the prices are wafting beyond your reach, you might like to know about a gift-book that would give any pipe-smoker the gloats. (Books like this are fun to get, though nobody I know ever buys one; surely you have the biggest discount in the trade.)

Carl Ehwa is the master blender for a Kansas City tobacco company. His text and his lovingly selected illustrations show that he has blown a lot of smoke.

He traces the New World sources of the clouds that gathered over Europe in the sixteenth century, with a keen eye for social and political consequences. Tobacco, once hailed as a medical cure-all, has emerged as a bogey, but this fact is handled with forgiveable disdain. We're not talking (much) about cigarettes, but about the real thing.

Instead, we are treated to lots of fine portraits and practical advice.

The best defence against problems in smoking, the master pronounces, is "the offensive move of learning to smoke properly in the beginning." Hardly the best phrase, but clear enough.

Not believe in tobacco? You might as well not believe in booze, or bridge, or backgammon, or any of the other little suicides that man commits every day.

Samuel Johnson thought that smoking was almost snuffed into oblivion 200 years ago, when he said, "I cannot account why a thing which requires so little exertion, and yet preserves the mind from total vacuity, should have gone out." He usually had more faith in human frailty.

A thousand years from now, Santa, if you still have any deliveries to make, you will still be dropping off shiny toys for ritual smokers and outlandish mixtures of some kind of weed.

This year, could you add a jar of Savinelli's stem-polishing paste for me? Ehwa recommends it, but I can't quite believe in it.

Also Recommended

VANISHING SPECIES, with an introduction by Romain Gary. Time-Life Books. $14.95.

Here are some of the finest animal photographs you will ever see, given added poignancy by the fact that unless man changes his ways soon these pictures will be all that remain.

Conservationist Romain Gary points out in his passionate introductory plea that more than 200 species of mammals, birds and reptiles have become extinct within the last 400 years, mostly through man's folly. Another 800 species are threatened today unless we take heed.

Gary notes there are signs we are waking up to the destruction of the animal world. This book is a worthy effort to bring more people to that cause.

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The first four paperback wild flower field guides have now been published by Gray's of Sidney, with the final two scheduled to appear early in the new year. They are priced at $2.95 each.

They are taken from Lewis Clark's Wild Flowers of British Columbia and will be invaluable companions to that magnificent volume. Pocket-sized, they are ideal for taking along on hikes, or left at home make identification of something you have discovered much simpler than leafing through the parent book.

The divisions for the six guides are: forest and woodland, field and slope, marsh and waterway, sea coast, arid flatlands, and mountains.

Much of the work of selection and organization was completed by Dr. Clark before his death early this year. The remaining work has been done by John Trelawny of the UVic Department of Biology.

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SEASHORE LIFE, of Puget Sound, the Strait of Georgia and the San Juan Archipelago, by Eugene N. Kozloff. University of Washington Press. Published in Canada by J. J. Douglas Ltd. $6.95.

Equally valuable for the shore-walker is this guide to the marine life of the Pacific Northwest.

The author has included a chapter entitled "Some Instant Zoology and Botany" to give the beginner a background. The text is clear and concise and drawings, black-and-white and color photographs aid in the identification of the incredible range of life along the tideline.—P.M.

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Rotary Gives EMI Van

Next Tuesday at noon the Saanich Rotary Club will present a $9,000 van for use of patients on the fifth floor of the Eric Martin Institute.

Just a few short years ago no one would have entertained the idea of such a gift because there appeared no way the patients could use it.

There are 62 children on the fifth floor at EMI — acutely handicapped physically and severely mentally retarded. They have been called vegetables. They are there indefinitely.

They range in age from about 2 to 21 and none are longer than 54 inches. They are the victims of injuries at birth, illness or disease. They spend much of their lives mute, flat on their backs.

When the fifth floor ward opened almost four years ago the nursing staff was mostly people who had never looked after sub-normal children before, Derek Pepper, director, of social services at Royal Jubilee Hospital, said Friday. They brought enthusiasm and dedication to the job — and they got a response from their patients.

Head nurse on the ward is Mrs. Florence Roberts and physiotherapist is Mrs. Norma Wilson. There are six registered nurses, 28 licenced practical nurses, three activity aides and a pre-school teacher.

The children who could were coaxed to sit up, look around, talk, help care for themselves, crawl about. And they learned.

Mrs. Roberts called the program Ding Dong College.

But their lives were still confined to the fifth floor of a big building and the staff felt they could benefit from fresh air.

At first a few were taken in wheelchairs and prams for picnic lunches at a nearby sliver of parkland.

Then the Ladies' Lions Club in Oak Bay, which had organized birthday and Christmas parties in the ward before, donated some money which was used to lease transportation, said Pepper.

Once a month a van took some of the children out, "even if it was just to look at things moving around." A visit to Elk Lake Park this summer was a big hit, as were the animals at Beacon Hill Park.

The money ran out. No more van trips. That's when the Saanich Rotary Club became interested.

The van the club is turning over to EMI's fifth floor Tuesday will be used just about daily, said Pepper. It has a raised roof, so patients can be carried inside readily, and a hydraulic hoist to lift and lower wheelchairs.

STARRY-EYED — that's four-year-old Lisa Bate, lured from her tiny tots' skating session at Memorial Arena by the glamorous dolls held by Ice Capades' advance person, Christy Adams. The dolls are dressed as replicas of line skaters in two of the show's production numbers which will be seen in the Arena Wednesday through Sunday. Lisa would like to take the dolls home to 1283 Tattersal for inspiration — or just to cuddle. (Bill Halkett photo)

Meat Warning

CALGARY (CP) — Consumers trying to beat high beef prices by buying from uninspected abattoirs risk food poisoning and disease, says Dr. George Summers, supervisor of the Alberta agriculture department's meat hygiene section.

He said in an interview his inspectors protect consumers in only 14 of the 90 small killing plants in the province.

Buying outside a plant designated Class A by the meat hygiene branch, the consumer has no protection.

UN 'Tyranny' Eroding Power

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UNITED NATIONS — U.S. Ambassador John Scali has warned the General Assembly the "tyranny of the majority" in the world body has eroded support for the United Nations.

In the opening of a debate on the role of the United Nations Friday, Scali said the accelerated trend of one-sided, unrealistic resolutions passed by the General Assembly had become dangerous to the usefulness of the organization.

"If the United Nations ceases to work for the benefit of all of its members, it will become increasingly irrelevant," he said.

"It will fade into the shadow world of rhetoric, abandoning its important role in the real world of negotiation and compromise."

The U.S. stand in the debate, which was scheduled to continue Monday, was backed by the British, who spoke against "illusory consensuses," a reference to bloc voting by a broad coalition of developing nations backed by Communist powers.

Scali cited the decisions of the 138-member body that suspended South Africa's membership and recognized the Palestine Liberation Organization. He said they were enforced by "the tyranny of the majority."

Referring to past American support of the United Nations, Scali said: "As the 29th general assembly draws to a close, however, many Americans are questioning their belief in the United Nations.

"They are deeply disturbed."

The successes of the world body — in the Middle East, Cyprus, and the Iran-Iraq border dispute — were threatened with becoming overshadowed by failure and controversy, he said.

"The American people are deeply disturbed by decisions to exclude meber states and to restrict their participation in discussions of matters of vital concern to them," Scali said.

"My country cannot participate effectively in the United Nations without the support of the American people and of the American Congress. For years they have provided that generously.

"But I ust tell you honestly that this support is eroding — in our Congress and among our people."

Sex Belongs at Home, Parents Tell Trustees

BURNABY (CP) — A parents group is to meet school trustees Tuesday to tell them that sex education begins — and ends — in the home.

The Concerned Parents Action League will follow the lead of about 200 parents in nearby Richmond who visited a school board meeting last Monday to protest a proposed family life and sex education course in Richmond schools.

"We're fundamentally opposed to sex education in schools," said Wally Siemens, chairman of the group here.

"That's a subject that is up to the parents; we can't leave it in the teachers' hands because with a subject like that it would inevitably involve their own moral interpretations."

Two meetings have been held between parents and school officials to discuss the topic and Siemens said in an interview Friday he and other parents have formed the group to organize dissent against the sex education proposals.

Part of that dissent arose over the showing during the first meeting of a film which involved a discussion between a doctor and a pregnant woman and included drawings of male and female sex organs.

"It's not any specific film we object to, it's just that any teacher can teach the subject the way he wants," said Siemens.

He said the group fears that the subject could be taught to excess, adding that the existence of such classes might allow, for example, some teachers to bring in homosexuals to lecture to the students.

Local board chairman Betty Clark said Friday the program is being considered at this time only for grade 11 and 12 students.

"If any parents are opposed I would think they would have the right to excuse their children from the class," she said in an interview.

Indians' Incomes Taxable

OTTAWA (CP) — Indians must pay income taxes on money earned off the reserves, the tax review board ruled in a tax appeal judgment made public Friday.

The ruling, almost certain to be appealed to higher courts, affects an estimated 300,000 registered Indians and is believed to be the first time a court has ruled on whether Indians living on reserves are subject to income taxes.

In his ruling, tax appeal board member Roland St. Onge said the Indian Act does not even mention income tax and "the Income Tax Act taxes all the residents of Canada."

"It is self-evident that an Indian falls under the Income Tax Act, especially when his income is earned outside the reserve," said St. Onge.

The matter was brought to the board by Russel Snow, a resident of the Caughnawaga reserve near Montreal. Snow is a steelworker and was ordered by the revenue department to pay income tax on $9,150 he earned in the United States in 1969.

Evidence was that Snow returned to the reserve every weekend and that he spent the bulk of his money on the reserve in support of his wife and two children.

James O'Reilly, a Montreal lawyer who specializes in Indian cases, argued that a section of the Indian Act provides that property of Indians situated on reserves is tax exempt.

He said that property as defined in the Indian Act includes money and salary.

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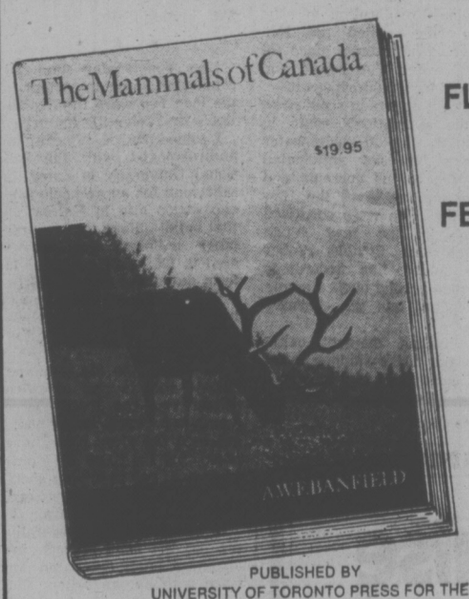

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Zaire's Rapids Dash Explorers' Hopes

(The author, a former U.S. AID official in Africa, is participating as chief liaison officer in the Zaire River Expedition, a $250,000 effort to navigate, more fully than ever before, the world's seventh largest river. This is his account of the second stage of the expedition.)

By KENNETH ADELMAN

KONGOLO, Zaire (UP) — The Zaire River Expedition, the grand exploration of Africa's second longest river in 19th century style with 20th century techonology, has failed in one of its chief goals — navigation of the full length of the river for the first time — but is going ahead with its plans for the most thorough study ever made of the mighty waterway.

Our 161-man expedition is now floating quietly downstream on giant rafts through one of the many placid sections of the 2,718-mile-long river.

Behind us are a five-mile stretch that expedition leaders found could not be navigated, another rapids near Bukama that almost claimed the life of an expedition member and a comic but briefly terrifying encounter with a hippopotamus.

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The expedition has meanwhile begun the scientific research that will occupy much of its attention before it reaches the next dangerous stretch — Stanley Falls — and the initial findings suggest some new theories about the early history of the Zaire River, once known as the Congo.

The Red Gorge, five miles of turbulent water north of Kolwezi and not far from the source of the Zaire, where the expedition began in early October, has blocked us from achieving a complete navigation of the river.

Our eight-member engineering team surveyed the stretch for three days and found a 30-foot waterfall followed immediately by a sharp turn in the river, then two more falls of five and 15-foot drops and four "S" curves.

At the end of this was a quiet pool filled with crocodiles.

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Though the Red George, water rushed at speeds up to 35 miles an hour and the steep river banks—1,500 feet straight up—made rescue operations and rest breaks impossible.

"Once you enter the gorge, you go through the whole route, whether you want to or not,' 'the head of the engineering team said. Anyone thrown out of the rafts could be crushed against the rocks —or be washed into the crocodile pool.

Mark Smith, a white water skipper on the Colorado River and a member of the expedition, gave the crew only a 10 per cent chance of staying inside the boat.

British Army Maj. John Blashford-Snell, leader of the expedition and veteran of a previous exploration of the Blue Nile, called the Red Gorge "the worst place of white water I've seen" and decided we would bypass it.

Despite efforts to scout most of the expedition's route in advance, the 20 white-water experts had not anticipated the treacherous currents and dangerous rocks of the first 100 miles. We were surprised when, in the first rough stretch, our flexible rubber rafts folded like accordions and then sprung open, flinging passengers into the churning water.

A starling moment came when our raft's skipper wanted a closer look at a seemingly peaceful male hippopotamus.

The three-ton beast first welcomed our craft, with a snort and a gentle push, like a purpoise nudging a beach ball.

Then he lifted his three-foot-wide head out of the water, opened his gigantic jaws and chomped into the side of the raft. The amusement over, we scrambled to avoid the huge teeth, which ripped a three-foot gash in the rubber raft.

As he chomped, the startled beast choked on the hot compressed air, which rushed from the ruptured raft into his mouth, with tremendous force. Aggravated at this, the hippo bit again before we were able to break away.

Just below Buama was another rapids that found the expedition over-confident and unprepared — despite an air reconnaissance.

Two television cameramen, who desperately wanted shots of fast white water from inside the boats but unfortunately chose the wrong rapids, were the most surprised.

While they filmed, their boat struck a high rock. One photographer continued to film as he was flung into the water. Film and sound equipment worth more than $15,000 — and certainly some of the best action shots ever made on the river — were lost.

More sobering was the near loss of Hugh Davies, a reporter for the London Daily Telegraph and a member of the expedition. Flung out of the cameramen's boat, Davies' life jacket was ripped off his back and he was swept into a whirlpool, where he spun wildly until a boat reached him and a crewman grabbed him by the hair and pulled him aboard.

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"That water's bloody dangerous," Maj. Roger Chapman, a member of our white water team who won a British award for bravery in rescue efforts in Blashford-Snell's Blue Nile expedition, said as he reached Bunama, totally exhausted from the rapids.

"Now we should be clear for a while and, believe me, we could jolly well use the rest," said Chapman.

At Bukama the river widened considerably, enabling us to trade our small rafts for the three 42-foot inflatable crafts which hold more than 20 passengers and 21 tons of freight each.

The three giant rafts were dedicated and launched at Buama with fanfare, speeches from Zairian authorities, expedition leaders and British and American consulate officials, and then champagne — flown in for the occasion.

The launching of the large boats marked the end of the first stretch of the river. We prepared ourselves, physically and psychologically, for the long and at times boring miles ahead on calm water.

Between here and Kinshasa, after which come almost continuous rapids to the Atlantic Ocean, we will have only two troublesome spots — The Gates of Hell outside Kongolo and Stanley Falls.

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Less spectacular than the rapids but more important in the long run were the expedition's first scientific findings.

I joined Dr. E. Vincke, an anthropologist with the National University in Zaire, in searching for an archeological excavation site in Katoto. In that small village, pottery and other artifacts were discovered in 1957. Later, Carbon-14 tests dated the objects to the 10th and 11th centuries, making them some of the earliest archeological findings in all of Central Africa.

We found the old site and noticed that it was only 700 yards from the river. On a hunch, we took a small boat, explored the river banks and found that the river had eroded enough soil to expose cooking utensils, metal arrows and human bones in the banks.

It was thrilling to carefully dig out the aged objects, including a finely decorated pot filled with human bones, and wrap them for the national museum.

Dr. Vincke believes the site was a burial ground for unusual members of the tribe — such as deformed children, albinos, and nobles — who customarily were buried apart from common villagers.

The design on the pots slightly resembled that of the Luba culture from eastern and central Zaire. However the Lubas who live there now do not consider themselves related to this ancient tribe. An dsince their oral tradition makes no reference to the site, the villagers let us "excavate.

While we dug old pottery our "gorilla man," Jeremy Mallison, zoological director of the Jersey Wildlife Preservation and author of books on primates, took a side trip to the Kahuzi-Biega National Park east of Bukavu, where, although he has bred and studied gorillas for many years, he had his first opportunity to see the mammoth gorillas in their natural habitat.

Mallinson watched a colony of 16 gorillas, headed by the 500-pound silverback called Kasmir.

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Meanwhile our six-member fish team was laying their nets and casting lines, hoping to capture some of the 400 or so species found in the Zaire River. Keith Banister of the British Museum was particularly interested in species found nowhere else on earth but in Zaire — such as the giant catfish, measuring up to 4½ feet long, and various types of mouth breeders, who shoot their newly hatched fishlings from their mouth and, in time of danger, suck them back in again.

When the fish experts began working in the river near Kolwezi, they could catch little since their nets had not yet arrived from Europe. So that no time was wasted, they visited the local markets, examining the products for sale and buying interesting specimens.

Part of the expedition's study concerns river history.

The animal life in the Lualaba, as the upper Zaire is called, resembles that of the Nile rather than the mainstream of the Zaire. Roger Sweeting of the London Polytechnic, who has spent five years studying the Tanzanian rivers, considers the Lualaba fauna remarkably similar to that of the east African rivers and the team has tentatively concluded that for thousands of years, the Lualaba flowed into the Nile or the river systems to the east, rather than into the Zaire.

In the Upemba National Park, the fish team found a cave system and walked a mile in total darkness to a hidden stream where they caught unusual species of cave fish, with small, weak eyes and extended feelers that show genetic adaptation to their environment.

The peacefulness of the river, so welcome at first after the rapids, can soon grow into boredom.

Usually we traveled for 24 hours, stopping only for meals, and then camped on the banks for 24 hours, giving our scientists a chance to collect and to conduct their research.

Life on land was usually more interesting than on the boats. We arrived in Ankoro, for example, just in time for a Sunday Mass with beautiful harmonic African music. That evening, a group of elders demonstrated traditional dances, using the Luba Kifwebe masks — well known to African art collectors — and hollowed tree trunks for drums.

While the big rafts were slowly approaching Kongolo, our headquarters staff was moving from Kolwezi by rented train — a steam-engine locomotive built in Belgium in 1913 and stoked by wood.

There were many stops for fuel, as expedition leaders helped the conductor chop wood, and some of the tracks needed repairs along the way. The train completed the 390-mile journey in just under five days — average speed 12 miles an hour when moving.

Nonetheless, the headquarters staff train arrived in Kongolo before the big boats.

At present, the expedition is undergoing a reorganization to unload passengers and scientific specimens from the boats onto the train.

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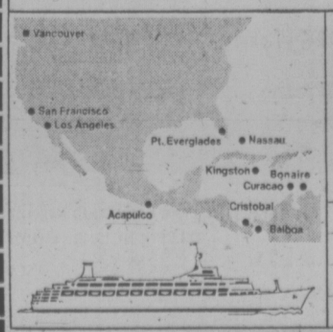

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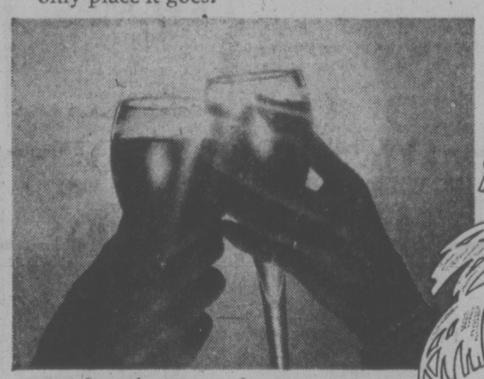
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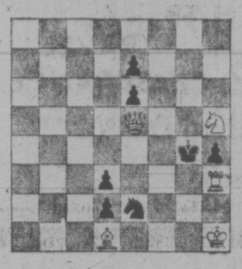

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BLACK: Paul Viner

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2	N-KB3	P-Q3
3	P-Q4	N-KB3
4	N-QB3	B-N5
5	PxP	Q-R4
6	B-N5 ch	N-B3
7	PxP	NxP
8	Q-Q5	Resigns (a)

(a) If 8 . . . NxN; 9. BxN ch. loses the Queen, and anything else loses the Knight.

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TWO BRIEFS FROM SWEDEN

The 1974 Swedish Championship was held in Lund and was won by Magnus Wahlbom and Christer Niklasson with 10½ points out of 15.

Here are two short-cuts from this event.

WHITE: Bo Briksson
BLACK: Lars-Ake Schneider

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2	N-QB3	P-Q4
3	B-B4	P-B4
4	P-K3	P-K3
5	N-B3	N-B3 (a)
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18	QxP4	P-QN3
19	Q-R4 ch	Resigns

(a) First 5 . . . P-QR3 or B-Q3 is better.

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WHITE: Johnny Iversson
BLACK: Caspar Careson

1	P-K4	P-K4
2	N-KB3	N-QB3
3	B-N5	B-B4
4	0-0	N-Q5
5	B-B4	*-Q3
6	P-QN4	BxP
7	P-B3	P-Q4
8	BxP	P-QB3
9	PxN	Resigns (a)

(a) After 9 . . . PxB; 10. Q-R4 ch, Black loses a piece.

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A DECIDING GAME

This was a crucial battle in the World Open, played in New York in July, 1973.

WHITE: Walter Browne, New York. BLACK: Robert Bellin, England

SICILIAN DEFENSE

1.	P-K4	P-QB4
2.	N-KB3	P-Q3
3.	P-Q4	PxP
4.	Nx P	N-KB3
5.	N-QB3	N-B3
6.	B-KN5	P-K3
7.	Q-Q2	P-QR3
8.	0-0-0	B-Q2
9.	P-B4	B-K2
10.	N-B3	P-N4
11.	BxN	PxB
12.	P-B5	P-KR4
13.	B-Q3	Q-N3
14.	N-K2	O-O-O
15.	N-B4	QR-N1
16.	P-KN3	N-K4
17.	KR-B1	K-N1
18.	K-N1	R-R2
19.	P-B3	R-K1
20.	N-Q4	B-Q1
21.	P-KR4	Q-N2
22.	PxP	PxP
23.	QR-K1	B-B1
24.	B-K2	N-B5
25.	BxN	PxB
26.	N-B2	Q-B3
27.	Q-K2	Q-B4
28.	N-K3	R-N1
29.	R-N1	P-K4
30.	N4-Q5	R2-KN2
31.	QxP	RxP
32.	RxR	RxR
33.	Q-R8	B-R4
34.	P-R5	R-R6
35.	P-R6	R-R7
36.	K-R1	Q-N4
37.	R-QN1	P-B4
38.	PxP	K-N2
39.	Q-N7ch	K-R1
40.	P-R7	Q-K1
41.	Q-N8	Resigns

★ ★ ★

The solution to the problem above is: 1. R-B3, KxR; 2. Q-B4 mate; or 1. P-R6; 2. R-B4 mate; or 1. N-N6ch; 2. RxN mate; or 1. N-B5; 2. R-N3 mate, etc.

JINGLE IN POCKET, GLEAM IN JADED EYE

WALLA WALLA, Wash. (AP) — That jingle in your pocket is the $5-million gleam in Bob Naimy's otherwise tired and cynical eye.

"I'm just that ugly middleman," says Naimy, who at 48 has exchanged his wife's troublesome penny collection for a multi-million-dollar, country-wide assault on Amerjca's spare and hoarded change.

Naimy owns Prestige Coins here, and for 14 years he's spent most of his time on the road, buying silver, gold and rare coins for resale to speculators, investors and collectors.

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A $1 gold coin gets at least $40. "The stuff we're buying is mostly quite common," he says. "Everybody's got it."

But not everybody has Naimy's cultivated contacts, the speculators who buy his stocks hoping the value will increase.

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The largest buys have reached $40,000, he said, with one former taxicab company owner dumping $37,500 worth of coins a few weeks ago in Los Angeles.

"They really shock you sometimes," says Naimy. "A guy who looks like he couldn't buy a cup of coffee might have $10,000 worth."

Naimy began his business in 1958.

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A variety concert will be presented by Victoria City Police Community Band on Monday Dec. 16 at Oak Bay Junior Secondary auditorium.

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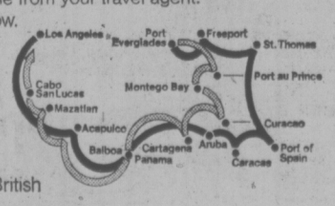

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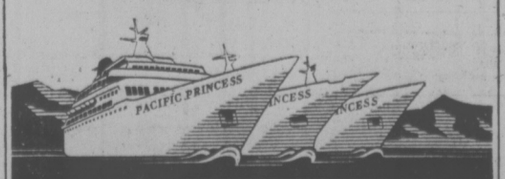

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Few Gardeners Understand Fallen Leaves Phenomenon

Things we least understand are often the targets of our complaints and criticism. This applies just as much in gardening as in other aspects of life. Fallen leaves are an example.

Few gardeners understand this wonderful phenomenon, although it is used as a symbol of autumn throughout the north temperate zones.

Photographers travel miles for dramatic pictures; artists strive to put feeling on canvas; every newspaper and magazine has pictures of fallen leaves, even amongst the cakes and pastries; no fall sales catalogue is considered correct without colored leaves among the clothing, jewelry, furniture, appliances, tools, automobiles, or even paint and lumber.

For some reason the motif of autumn, when appearing in newspapers and magazines, is commonly associated with disparaging remarks such as "Fun for the kids but the bane of gardeners" or "The things ehat drive gardeners crazy." Is this the gardener's feeling toward fallen leaves or an impression created by non-gardeners?

Consternation gripped some gardeners this year because the trees held their leaves a full month longer than normal. Many asked impatiently why the leaves were not down, while one bemoaned not having his garden "put to bed" in October as usual and the probability of raking leaves until Christmas.

Instead of enjoying a most beautiful period we tend to look upon it as a necessary evil that interrupts our normal way of life and causes us great inconvenience.

The beauty of flowers, the shade in the heat of summer, the delicious fruits are expected and accepted as if we had some right to them, but when the plants complete their annual cycle of growth and drop their foliage for winter protection, we find reason to complain.

No thought is given to the intricate mechanism that firmly holds the leaves through spring and summer against rain and wind, then releases its grip in response to changes in average temperature and decreasing hours of daylight. Man's most sensitive inventions are not as accurate or as reliable.

Why do leaves fall from trees? Is it just to disfigure man's creation, his garden? Is it to impress that man is always subservient to nature?

No. Leaves are not cast to annoy or to teach. Their descent to the soil is part of a natural cycle, the importance of which is not realized by those who complain or destroy with fire.

The beauty of fall lies mainly in leaf colors. Leaves which have been green for six months suddenly assume colors that rival the artist's palette, colors of which there was no previous indication. Why this sudden change?

The chemist has the answer. If every gardener could spend as little as one hour in autumn with a plant chemist, the knowledge gained would transcend the petty annoyance and leaf fall would be considered a precious gift from the gods.

Every color that appears in a leaf indicates the presence within the tissues of a certain chemical the plant has not needed to put into storage until growth commences the following season.

The plant chemist will show you that one plant has stored iron, maghesium or manganese, while another has no use for these chemicals and left them in its leaves.

A plant has no way of selecting its food from soil water, as we select bread, a cookie, or a piece of pie. It has to take whatever the soil water contains, and many of the colors left in the leaves are unwanted chemicals, or chemicals needed at some stage of growth but not the kind that combine to make starches for storage.

It is a strange fact that the ash of plants growing in some areas show traces of gold, silver and lead, substances foreign to plant growth yet present in the solution imbibed by the plants..

To the orderly mind of man this haphazard method of obtaining needed food represents a waste of both energy and chemicals, but nature does not waste.

The fall of leaves is nature's way of returning to the communal larder that which is unwanted by one plant but needed by others in the community. Being stored within the plants the chemicals were not carried away to streams and rivers.

The scattering of leaves by wind is a means of distributing these chemicals and adding them to areas where they may be lacking.

When the chemicals have been extracted there remains the fibre which adds the humus so necessary to holding soil moisture within the reach of plant roots. This fibre, as it decomposes, deepens the color of the soil and increases the absorption of light rays, which in turn means a higher soil temperature.

The importance of leafmould (humus made from discarded leaves) has been recognized by generations of gardeners. Some plants succeed only when leafmould is incorporated with the garden soil at planting time and added annually as a much over the root area.

In the greenhouse and in the home many potted plants require a soil mixture containing mainly leafmould and sand. Poor results with these plants are often due to ignoring the leafmould and using peatmoss or manure as a substitute.

In the artifical communities of plants designed by man, fallen leaves can be harmful to low spreading plants by excluding light and air, and by retaining enough moisture to cause small stems and foliage to completely rot away over winter.

This does not happen in natural communities because such plants are prevented from becoming established where fallen leaves would be harmful. The so-called chore of removing leaves from garden plants is imposed by the gardener's methods and is not a fault of nature. We plant the trees and the prostrate plants side by side, and the price for indulging our whims is constant attention.

Our frantic urge to gather and destroy all leaves is prompted by asthetic values, not by logical reasoning. Once we realize the need for leaves and the part they play in building a good soil we shall look forward to their fall and welcome those brought to us on benevolent winds. We shall cherish every one and cease complaining about the mess they make in the gardens we create to satisfy our ego or as a status symbol.

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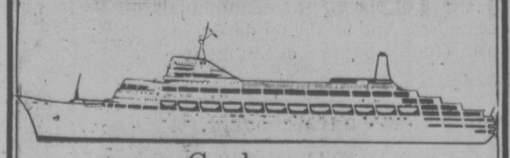
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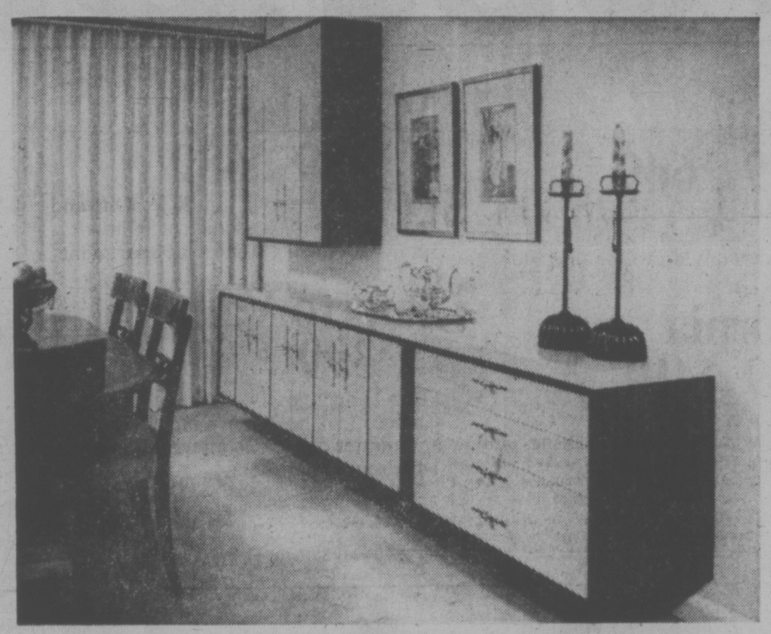

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Planting of leaf-losing (deciduous) trees and shrubs continues. The soil should not be too wet. Use fairly dry compost to work in around roots, but peatmoss must always be well dampened.

Celery and leeks should have some loose dry grass or leaves heaped loosely around to protect from sharp frosts but not to smother or rot the stems.

Check coldframes often. If for storage of plants, protect with extra covering over glass if severe frosts occur, but give air circulation whenever mild.

Cacti and succulents indoors should be getting less water until February. Keep cacti as cool as posible;

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cacti as cool as possible; succulents should be a little warmer since many of them flower during winter.

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And the price tag on the three-year shipment of cow and chicken droppings isn't chicken feed — $1.2 billion.

The deodorized dung will be used as a soil conditioner in hopes of raising food on now barren land.

Norman Siebens, of Sequim, Wash., who holds a franchise for the collection of the manure from farms in 11 western states, said 50,000 metric tons a month will be delivered from this country to the Arabs.

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MONTREAL (CP) — Moe Zweigman is not your average midnight cowboy. At 3 a.m., when the hot spots close and the four-hour Cinderellas are slipping back inside their pumpkins, old Moe is navigating his ample frame behind the counter of the tiny restaurant opposite the Forum and making hay with the customers.

"Hello, Al," he shouts to a nearby customer. "Hiya, Eddie," to another. "How are ya, Morty?" to a sprawling drunk in the corner.

"Hel-l-l-l-o, Moe!" comes a half-hearted chorus of answers in somewhat straggly unison. It's early morning and while the rest of the city sleeps, business is just getting under way at the Corner Snack Bar.

Long a haven for cabbies, night-time employees and a host of the lonely-hearts but loveable oddballs, Moe's as it is better known, has become a virtual landmark for Montreal's night people.

Sitting around the restaurant are the usual assortment of people—among them two cabbies passing up business for an all-night bout of chess, an inebriated, middle-aged couple arguing the merits of love, an elderly gent known as "Pops" who is downing his third bowl of cornflakes; two football players and an unconscious drunk, his head face down on the table between his coffee and his unfinished bowl of chicken soup.

"What kind of move was that, idiot?" breaks in the loud voice of one of the chess-playing cabbies. "You should have gone here, Hymie . . . not there!"

"Sh-h-h!" says Moe to the noisy party, motioning to the unconscious drunk lying across the table in the corner. "Can't you see one of my customers is trying to sleep."

Moe loves this community; so much so that he works the 2-8 a.m. shift 364 nights a year. Although he admits to taking Christmas Eve off every year, Moe manages to know the names of practically every customer who walks through the door.

"We've estimated that I know somewhere between 5,000 and 10,000 names," says Moe. "It's just a thing I have. I don't know how I do it myself. It's just that I love people—and once I hear their names—click, it seems to stick in my memory forever."

The restaurant is only a tiny affair, a basement "joint" with a dozen tables, a long counter and an inexpensive 24-hour-a-day menu that serves three eggs with breakfast and downright refuses to give you only two.

The fading walls are plastered with calendars and yellowed posters. The bathroom is sparkling clean. In the otherwise bare front window an electric blue neon sign blazes the message "Italian spaghetti" for the sole reason that, as Moe puts it, "nothing else fits in the window."

"Two a.m. to 8 a.m., is when the action is," explains Moe, an ever-smiling, one-time accountant of 50 who chews the ever-present cigar out of the corner of his mouth.

"The rest of the time we're just a restaurant but at night I dunno what happens. All kinds of weird people come down here and get to talking to each other like it was someone's living room. It's a real community. In fact, someone just wrote his Master's thesis on it."

And then there's Pearl, a friendly 60-ish black woman who lives on welfare and in Moe's, and always carries a huge black satchel that looks as if it carries all her worldly possessions.

And Hannah, a sweet and motherly waitress who has worked at Moe's for years and swears that after this she could never work anywhere else.

"What's the matter—you don't like butter," she says to a gray-haired customer wearing a dull shawl.

"Well," the woman hesitates, "I usually get margarine—but it doesn't matter."

"You want margarine? We have margarine.

"Well,"

"Look, we have margarine. You'll have margarine!" Hannah concludes emphatically, stealing the woman's plate and trundling off to the kitchen for margarine.

Swinging behind the cash, Moe addresses the assembled throng at the counter.

"What do you call a sheik who runs across the desert naked?" Silence. "The stre-e-e-ak of Araby!"

Guffaws all round.

Several years ago, fire struck the Corner Snack Bar, and Moe was forced to close the restaurant's doors for nearly two months. Nightly, his home phone would ring with calls from regular customers asking when the restaurant would reopen and wondering if he would listen to their personal problems in the meantime. Naturally, Moe obliged.

To this day, he continues to act as a sort of five-cent psychiatrist and community godfather, analysing people's problems, offering legal advise, suggesting insurance policies and helping to force a smile wherever misery has the upper hand.

"I don't care if a man's rich or poor, successful or a bum," says Moe. "I treat 'em all the same way. They're all wonderful people."

Moe with friends Juanita, left, and Pearl

Orphans Awarded Pensions

VANCOUVER (CP) — Eighteen awards totalling $48,000 and monthly pensions to three orphans were approved during November under the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act of British Columbia.

The orphans — two boys and a girl — each will receive $59.39 monthly until age 16, when they will receive higher payments if they continue their schooling. Their mother, a 29-year-old Okanagan woman, was shot to death by her husband and the children are now in the custody of their grandparents.

A 16-year-old Fraser Canyon youth received an award of $15,000, the maximum lump sum payment under the legislation. He was shot with a pellet gun and left with effective vision in only one eye.

Another $15,000 award was made to a 46-year-old Prince George man who lost all vision in his left eye after an apparently unprovoked street attack in Chilliwack.

ALASKA'S NORTH SLOPE SHRUGS OFF OIL RUSH

By TAD BARTIMUS

PRUDHOE BAY, Alaska (AP) — If, on that seventh day, God had wanted to contemplate all the beauty of the world, he probably rested on the lonely mountaintops overlooking Alaska's North Slope.

For all those centuries between the Beginning and the Oil Rush, the only people who cast their eyes over the endless vista of land and mountains and sky were the Eskimos and Indians who lived in harmony and respectful fear of that endless terrain.

Now, the white men and their machines are there in force because the children of the Industrial Revolution need what the North Slope has hidden.

Oil—billions of barrels of it—lies underneath the frozen ground waiting for those who can get it out. Predictions are that it will begin to flow south by mid-1977, south to the factories of Cleveland, the compact cars on the Pennsylvania Turnpike and the outboard motors on Florida lakes.

But so far, the newcomers' presence has done little to change the face of the North Slope. About 6,000 men and women are living in 12 camps that are expanding daily north of Fairbanks. They were hired by companies under contract to the Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. to build a road parallel to part of the 798-mile-long trans-Alaska pipeline route.

As though in cheerful defiance of their hostil environment, the camp workers sleep and eat in prefabricated modular compounds with names like Happy Valley, Prospect Creek, Dead Horse, Old Man and Cold Foot.

But when they go outside and into the mosquito-infested wilderness, they leave behind all traces of a portable life of modern toilets and pool tables, stainless steel kitchens and fresh doughnuts.

They must psychologically adjust themselves to the land, the emptiness and the Arctic summer's continual sunshine, and winter.

Already many haven't been able to adjust, and have left after only a few weeks or even days. Alyeska officials cite a turnover rate of about 25 to 30 per cent.

But for those who stay, the monetary rewards are great—some pipeline workers could make $50,000 a year — and many find a personal kind of peace.

In summer, the mountains of the wild Brooks Range are naked of their Arctic wrap of white. Their peaks poke the sky and stab the clouds. Their skin is bleached white.

The rivers are a thousand carelessly tossed blue ribbons scattered in disarray, the lakes countless puzzle pieces dumped on a carpet.

In the midnight sun the earth is brown velvet lightly dusted with green powder. There isn't a tree.

The gravel road being built between the Yukon River and the Prudhoe Bay oil field on the edge of the Arctic Ocean looks like a slender string dropped across the tundra.

The 360-mile pipeline road once it is turned over to the state, will open up the North Slope to the outside world and, for the first time, provide an entry route for anyone who has wheels.

It is hard to imagine the North Slope on the verge of tourism and all that it implies.

"It's sure a pretty piece of real estate right now," said the helicopter pilot, dryly as he hovered his whirring machine a few feet above the little knoll near the Sagavanirktok, or Swift, River. "Being out here is something you feel, but it's hard to explain, to put into regular words."

Mike Carroll, 28, has been flying the North Slope for two years. He ferries construction workers from site to site along the pipeline route above the Yukon. Every three weeks the Vietnam veteran heads home to Anchorage to his wife and two children for a few days, but says he doesn't mind coming back to the North Slope when his leave is over.

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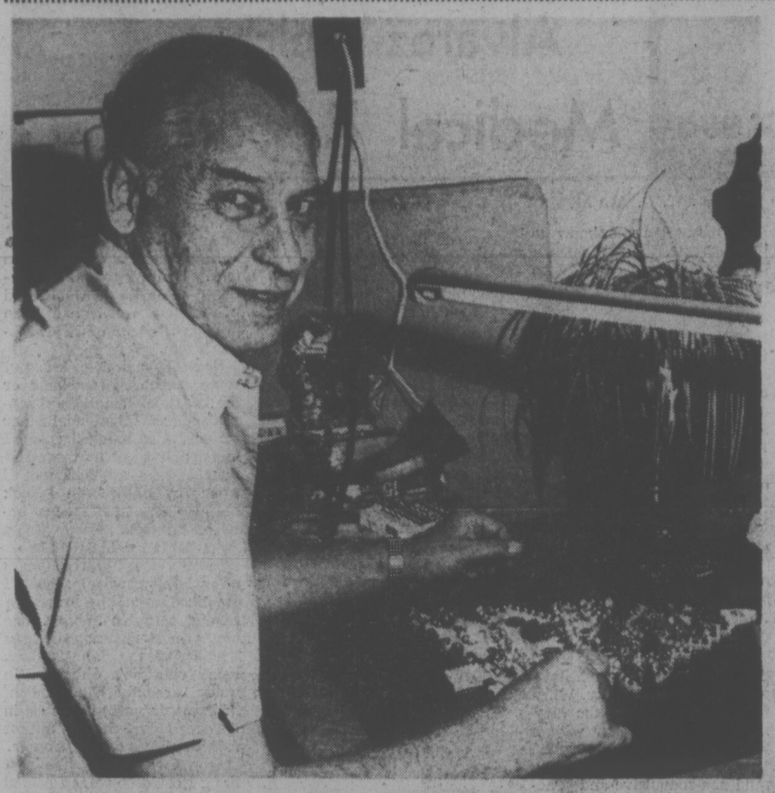

Andy Bing does his thing

elizabeth forbes

Yule Ornaments Delight the Eye

On the wall at Post Office Station B on Fort Street, there's a Yuletide ornament (perhaps I should say picture) that is attracting the eyes of everyone who enters there.

It's a Christmas tree made of bits and pieces of sparkling costume jewelry and wired with miniature lights that accentuate the pattern and the red, gold and green colors of the design.

The artist is Andrew Bing, (Andy to his friends). A member of the post office station staff, who has probably helped you with your mail on many occasions.

He's been creating these delightful ornaments for nearly three years. In that time he has completed 12 of the beauties — and, in most instances, given them away to relatives and friends.

Right now, on the wall of his workshop in the basement of the family home on Capital Heights, there are four more "almost completed," and on a work table near by, another just taking shape.

Ask him how he got started on this fascinating hobby and he tells you it was quite by accident.

Back in 1917, he and his wife Elsie went to Montana to visit his sister, and they found her making these Christmas tree pictures for church bazaars.

"After we came home I couldn't get the trees out of my mind," he says, "and I finally decided to try and make one."

His sister sent him the pattern and gave him basic directions. Then he and his wife started looking for the materials needed to create a tree.

There had to be plywood from which the tree was cut, also a solid oblong of wood for a base and black belvet to cover that base.

Most of all there was need for discarded costume jewelry, all sizes, all colors and in all shapes.

Relatives and friends contributed. Mrs. Bing went looking in used clothing stores and at bazaars. Gradually a collection was acquired — brooches, necklets, rings, earrings, anything and everything that could be used.

Then Andrew Bing sat down and, in his spare moments, created a Christmas tree picture.

He placed the bits of jewelry on the plywood outline in a basic design, starting at the tip of the tree and working down to the base. He moved those pieces around until he was satisfied with the effect. Then he bored holes through the tree and the velvet-covered base and completed electric wiring.

Next came the intricate work of filling in the design.

That tree was the start of what he describes now as an "absorbing hobby".

Today, in the workshop in the basement of his home, there is a place for everything and everything is in its place.

In one corner you find a pile of wooden bases staeked ready for use and a dozen or so plywood trees he has cut from a basic pattern, with his own tools. There's black velvet, too, wrapped carefully in tissue paper.

On a large table in another corner you find the costume jewelry, sorted into cardboard boxes according to size and color. There are beads in tiny bottles, sequins in small containers and hundreds of tiny pearls. "You get them by the dozen strings in a downtown store."

There's a box of old chains that once anchored post office pens. "They come in useful for outlining the pearls and some of the largest trinkets."

Boxes of toy do-it-yourself jewel kits too, "because they have colorful stones I can use." And, of course, the miniature lights that add so much to the finished pictures.

On the good-sized work table there are pliers for taking the bits of jewelry to pieces "if necessary"; tooth picks for placing the smallest bits into the pattern and a good strong glue for anchoring the different pieces into the design.

Bing is now experimenting with putting frames around the velvet covered blocks.

"I don't want them to detract from the trees," he says, "but if I can get the right tone of varnish, they could add to the effect."

How long does it take him to complete one of his trees? He says it is "a little hard to say" when he works only in spare moments. However, "a good guess," would be about 24 hours.

Now that most of the relatives and close friends have received trees as gifts, Bing is beginning to listen to those who ask if the trees are for sale.

He says "perhaps" one or two this year, and "maybe", a few more next year.

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'Never Done' on Women

Writing a history of women in Canada might seem pretty straightforward—a trip to the library to gather and research information until an understanding develops of what women have done in creating this country.

"It was a nice idea until I got to the library. Nothing! well, the general histories did mention women. I know—because I looked in their indexes and found . . . Queen Victoria and Lake Louise."

The voice is that of the Corrective Collective in the preface of Never Done—Three Centuries of Women's Work in Canada.

The collective is made up of five women ranging in age from 24 to 54 years old; from high school dropout, through child psychologist to English department lecturer at Simon Fraser University.

The five, through Canadian Women's Educational Press in Toronto, wrote and published Never Done to present the "average" life of women in different places and times in Canada.

"We are attempting to write non-academic history—that is, history which is researched in the usual way but presented in a lively style . . . not alienating to readers usually alienated by history books," says Andrea Lebowitz, the SFU lecturer.

"Men—and almost always famous men—are usually the subject of history," she continues, "yet we did not want to concentrate on famous women since we felt that in being famous they were atypical."

In the preface th ecollective voice concedes there is mention of average women in traditional histories:

"Well, yes, there were a few general references to women, as in 'the women and children were . . . left at the fort, or drowned in the river, or starved in the winter, or abandoned on an ice floe.'"

"I ached to see even one mention of 'the men and children.'"

When it seemed futile to sift through learned tomes, the five went to the attic and began to rummage for pictures, old letters and family records.

"Through the trunks . . . snippets in family scrapbooks, town records and local histories, stories handed down from mother to daughter, novels written by women, royal commissions . . . so much that the historians have completely ignored."

The book itself is a 150-page story album with illustrations by Colette French.

The first part groups together pioneer women—the imported wives of New France, the Selkirk settlers—while the second deals with the increasing variety of women's work outside the home as well as the continuing "saga of soapsuds."

A massive bibliography is preceded by the lament that in most cases reference books contained but "one or two useful sentences."

Lebowitz, French and Pat Davitt will appear Wednesday, Dec. 11 on the Ida Clarkson show on CHEK-TV in Victoria, to promote Never Done.

In the first four weeks after the book came out last month, said Lebowitz, more than 1,000 copies were sold. The five—including Marge Hollibaugh—sold 20,000 copies of their first book, She Named It Canada, a cartoon history.

"Never Done came about because when we finished She Named It Canada, we felt that we had not been able to go into enough depth on women in the first book," she said.

Nature Group To Meet

One of Canada's largest conservation organization will meet in Victoria next year.

Yorke Edwards, acting director of the Provincial Museum, said today the Canadian Nature Federation will meet at the University of Victoria June 12-17.

More than 300 delegates from across Canada, including scientists and environmentalists, will attend the meeting. The Victoria Natural History Society will be host.

Edwards said there are 33 natural history clubs in B.C. and others are being formed.

"One of the themes of the convention will be preserving life is our oceans," he said. "The meeting will include field trips for visitors."

Couple Wed 60 Years

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Joyce, 190 Gorge West, celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary today with a party at 8 p.m. in the Duke of Kent Room, Empress Hotel.

Mr. Joyce, from Dallas, Tex. and Mrs. Joyce, from Ayrshire, Scotland, met and married after each had moved to Ladysmith near the turn of the century.

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We saw so many beautiful pieces of jewellery in de Goutiere's this week that words fail us . . . It was as if we had strayed into Aladdin's fabled cave . . . and we wanted to fondle every thing our eyes fell upon! . . . However, this being the season for giving . . . and so many husbands being on the lookout for an especially exquisite piece of jewellery for their dear one . . . we'll just tell you about some of the outstanding estate jewellery at de Goutiere's . . . A beautiful pair of emerald and diamond earrings . . . the emeralds are ½ ct. each, with diamond streamers . $4.850 . A magnificent platinum bracelet set with nine ½ ct. diamonds and 179 smaller ones . . . A diamond and pearl spray broach An antique garnet cross with diamond and pearls in the centre . . . It's beautifully made, and glows with a rich red hue when the light catches it . $1125 . . Another cross is made up of diamonds with a pearl cross bar . $1,387.50 for this . . . A diamond dinner ring with 17 diamonds totalling over 1½ carats . . Another ring with a 1.10 ct. emerald cut diamond around which 18 small diamonds are clustered . . . There are many other estate pieces to choose from . . . every one of them a rare gem in both the literal and figurative senses . . . and prices, we're told, are always less than for brand new pieces . . . But speaking of new pieces, Mr. de Goutiere has made a lovely new piece of his own . . a 14 k gold owl brooch with cyrystoberyl cat's eye eyes . . . which seems to open and close as you move it New from Switzerland and exclusive, two beautiful ladies' size pocket watches which could be used as pendants . . . 18 k. gold . . . one with an open face, the other a hunting case . . . with hand-painted enamelled scenes . . **de Goutiere Ltd., 2524 Estevan Ave., 592-3224.**

The Japanese kimono has been adapted into some exquisite modern versions

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Gifts for the men in your life . . .

Husbands and fathers . . . sons and brothers . . . fiances and what-have-you . . . all the men in your life are awaiting Santa's visit just as eagerly as you are . . . And because we consider ourself one of Santa's little helpers this year . . . we'll just give you a shove in the right direction for finding the absolutely "right", perfect . . . and not to expensive gifts for your menfolk . . . The name to remember is the Ram Shack . . . either at Hillside or University Hgts. Malls . . . We did a quick tour ourself last Monday, and here are some of the things we saw which should bring a gleam of pleasure to any male eye . . . Dressing gowns in terry cloth with shaded stripes . . . blues, browns, reds . . . Solid color Vocama gowns in burgundy, dark blue, camel or brown . . . and silk-like gowns with geometric patterns, in assorted colors. Prices for these range from $25 to $35 . . . Then there are lovely Vocama TV jackets . . . those thigh-length gowns we used to call "smoking jackets" once-upon-a-time . . . Navy with red collar, cuffs and belt . . . brown with camel trim . . . Shirts are always a welcome gift and Ram Shacks have a great selection . . . Some new ones just in are polyester jersey sport shirts with various nice patterns on either light or dark backgrounds . . . There are sweaters with turtle, V and crew necks . . . (a new Shetland pullover with crew neck is tagged at only $20) . . . Scads of neckties . . . and some beautiful new cardigans in heavy lambswool with suede panels down the front . . . and leather buttons . . . Natural, rust, chocolate brown and blue in these at . . . **Ram Shack Ltd., Hillside Mall, 386-0724 and University Hgts. Mall, 477-3314.**

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Ancient Egyptian Drug Used Against Psoriasis

BOSTON (UPI) — Medical researchers, with the help of an ancient Egyptian drug, have developed an apparently safe, cheap treatment for psoriasis, the disfiguring skin disease which plagues millions of people the world over.

The team of doctors at Massachusetts General Hospital said all 21 patients who underwent experimental treatment showed "complete and rapid clearing" of their skin. Results of the discovery were made in the current issue of the New England Journal of Medicine.

The treatment combines the use of the drug methoxsalen and a particular frequency of intense ultraviolet light which activates the drug without causing sunburn, the article said.

Methoxsalen has been known in crude form since 1,400 B.C. and has previously been used in treatment of psoriasis in a cream preparation spread on the skin. The treatment developed by the MGH team involves taking the drug in pills, which doctors said has proved more effective.

The article said the drug spreads throughout the body but is apparently inactive except where skin is exposed to the special light. Drs. John A. Parrish and Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, who headed the research team, told a news conference the treatment could be commercially available by late 1975 if further tests at other U.S. and foreign hospitals showed similar results.

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Alvarez-Welch Medical Report

By DR. W. C. ALVAREZ

As many parents know to their sorrow, there is such a thing as a "hyperactive" (too restless) and often violent-tempered child, who for years can be a terrible problem at home and in school. Some of these children have what I call the Jekyll and Hyde disease. For a while they can be angelic, and then, because of some very slight annoyance, they can go into a rage in which they may strike their mother or try to beat up their teacher at school.

I have seen many such children because the mother came to consult me about her own nervous breakdown—brought on by the child's violence and troublemaking tendency.

Many years ago I learned that these children often have a bad nervous heredity. When I learned that half of the very nervous people I saw with a violent and poorly-controlled temper were suffering from a mild non-convulsive and practically always unrecognized epilepsy, I began to do three things with the hyperactive children I saw: I insisted on getting an honest family history; I had electroencephalograms made (records of the tiny electric currents constantly running through the brain, which are usually erratic in epileptics), and I tried out the effect of Dilantin, which commonly almost cures an epileptic.

When my experience with the violent children showed that many of them had a bit of inherited epilepsy, I searched the literature on hyperactive children, and was sorry to find that so far very few physicians have thought to look for epilepsy in the young patients and their parents.

Recently I found a fine paper by Dr. Judith L. Rapoport of Washington, D.C., who found that some fathers and mothers of 76 hyperactive children in their youth had had serious nervous troubles. Also, a number of the youngsters had slight physical abnormalities.

In the cases of several of the hyperactive youngsters I have seen, when Dilantin did not work, Deaner worked miraculously.

Today I would not think of treating a hyperactive child without first getting a family history, getting electroencephalograms, and trying Dilantin.

A CHILD'S SPEECH

I read that recent research in New Zealand shows that boys who were breast-fed for from four to seven weeks or longer had better speech tone, clarity, and reading ability than did boys who received little or no breast feeding. There was no similar difference in girls.

ATHLETE'S FOOT

I feel competent to discuss the subject of athlete's foot because for much of my early life I suffered from recurrent attacks of a distressing infection between my toes.

When I was around 40 I noticed that in me, an attack of athlete's foot began with a burning distress between two toes. Then, on looking between those toes I would find a red line which had been produced by the germ of athlete's foot.

Next I found that if I put some carbolized vaseline over the red line, it quickly disappeared and I had no further trouble. Also along the way I found that I got no more red lines and no athlete's foot if after my daily bath I took care to dry the spaces between my toes.

CHILD'S DIARRHEA

In my first three years after I left medical school, I practiced in a big American mining camp in Mexico. One of the most common diseases that I had to deal with was small children's diarrhea. In many cases the child died of it. I was distressed because in college I had heard almost nothing of this type of trouble.

Soon I found that the best thing I could do when I helped a woman bring her baby into the world was to beg her to nurse the youngster; then the baby had a very small chance of getting the bowel infected.

Most of the women had no idea of the need for keeeping bad germs out of bottled milk. The milk that came out of the mother's breast was usually without such germs and harmless. I had no sympathy with my medical friends who advised mothers to put their child immediately on cow's milk.

dear abby

She Feels Cheated

DEAR ABBY: I am a woman in my early 40s. When I married, four months ago, I was a virgin. My problem is, I still am.

I am a school teacher, but quit teaching to marry a very fine divorced man in his mid 40s. We seemed perfect for each other after a two-year courtship. Neither he nor I believe in pre-marital sex.

After four months of marriage. He had been married for 12 years (no children) and he admitted to having had "some difficulty" performing his bedroom duties, but he didn't say he couldn't perform at all, which is the case. He said he's seen doctors, who have told him there was nothing wrong with him — he probably had a "mental block" because there was no love between him and his wife. Well, WE love each other and the mental block is still there. So how can that be explained?

I feel he married me under false pretenses. He's a fine person otherwise. Perhaps I'm placing too much emphasis on the bedroom scene, but after waiting all my life for a beautiful, complete love relationship, I feel cheated. — Cheated.

DEAR CHEATED: First your husband should be examined by a urologist to determine whether his problem is physical or psychological. If it's physical, you have two choices. Continue in marriage without sex, or get an annulment. If it's psychological your husband should seek psychotherapy. If he's unwilling (or unable) to overcome his problem in this manner, you still have the original two choices. Only you can determine how important the bedroom scene is.

DEAR ABBY: The person who wrote in about receiving a $100 check as a gift and then letting three months slip by without writing a thank-you note, has inspired me to write.

When I drive my teen-ager someplace, I am happy to give some of his friends a ride, too. But since gasoline has gone up, and not too long ago I had to go early in the morning and sit in line for two hours to get gas, I have become quite choosy about who I give free rides to.

I have told my son that I am not giving any more rides to his friends who can't even say, "thanks." (A few don't even bother to say hello or goodbye — they treat me like I'm a hired taxi driver.)

And a word to parents who never drive, but are always instructing their kids to hook a ride with someone: Please teach your kids to thank the driver.

After I chaperoned a school dance, one of the students came over and thanked me. It made my whole day. — Kitsap.

DEAR KITSAP: Most parents do teach their kids to say "thank you," but some kids are slow learners.

DEAR ABBY: My grandmother was one-sixteenth black. She married a white man. Neither she nor any of their children had Negroid features, and they all married whites.

The problem is my wife. I told her of my ancestry before we were married, and it didn't seem to make any difference. But now she refuses to have any children for fear one might be coal-black.

What are the chances of this occurring?—Needs To Know.

Dear Needs—Zero. A child will be no darker than his darkest parent.

DEAR ABBY: This is for "DOOMED," who wanted a big wedding but didn't know if his parents should help her parents foot the bill because of tradition.

I am getting married next month, and when my fiance and I became engaged, his parents offered to split the bills straight down the middle. They figured that their son is also getting married, and they should help pay for the wedding.

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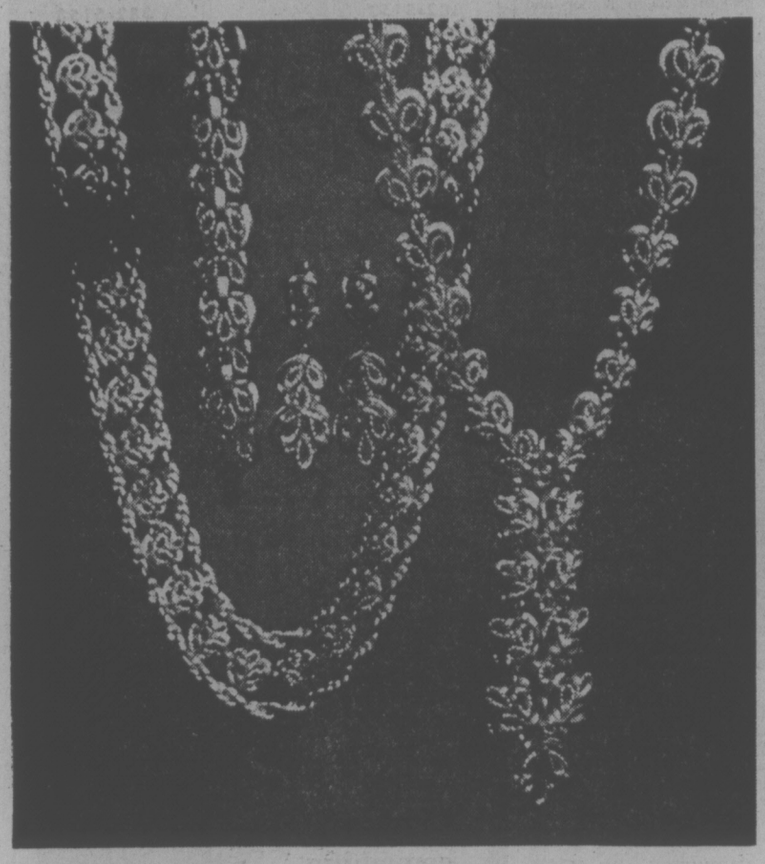

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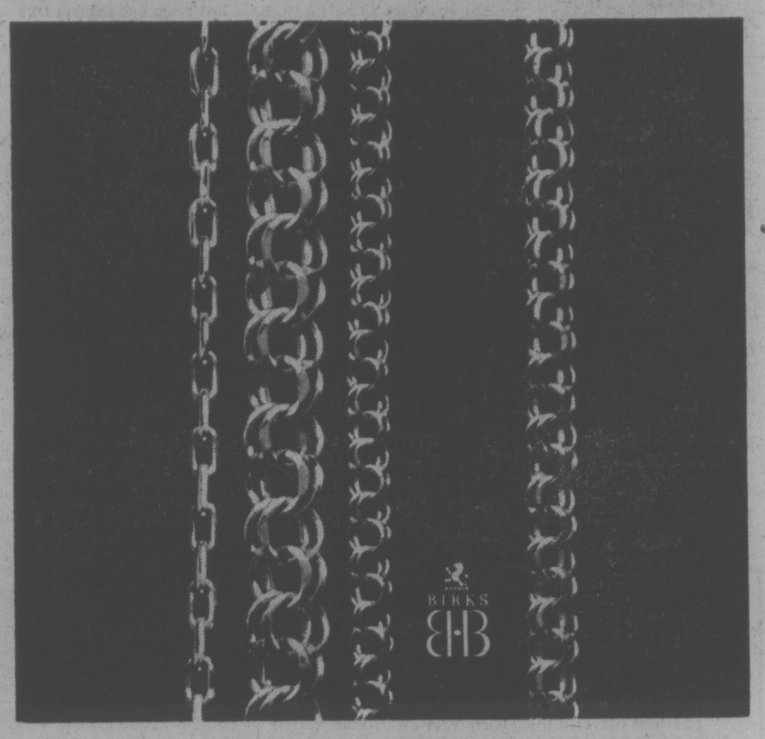

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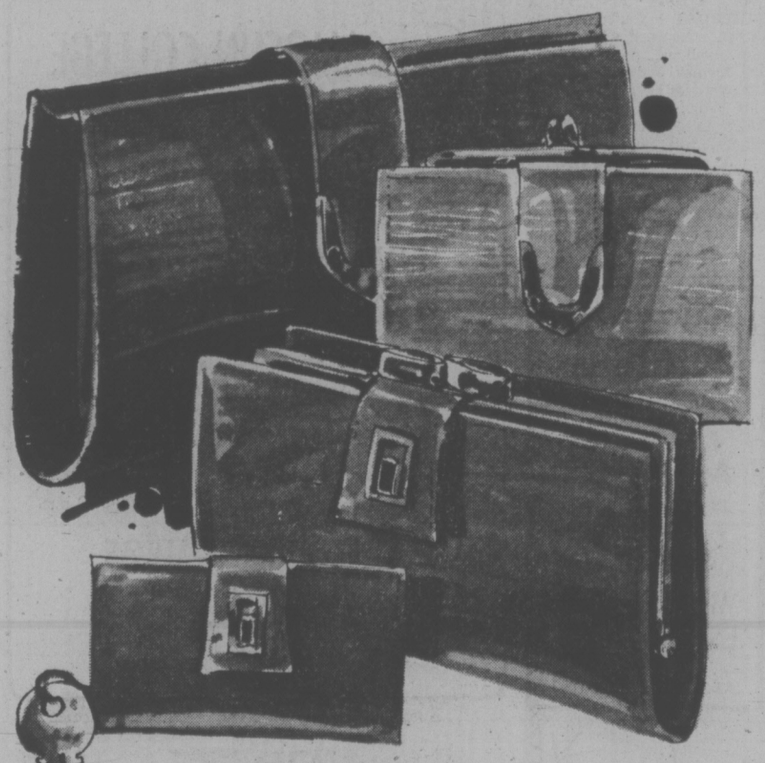

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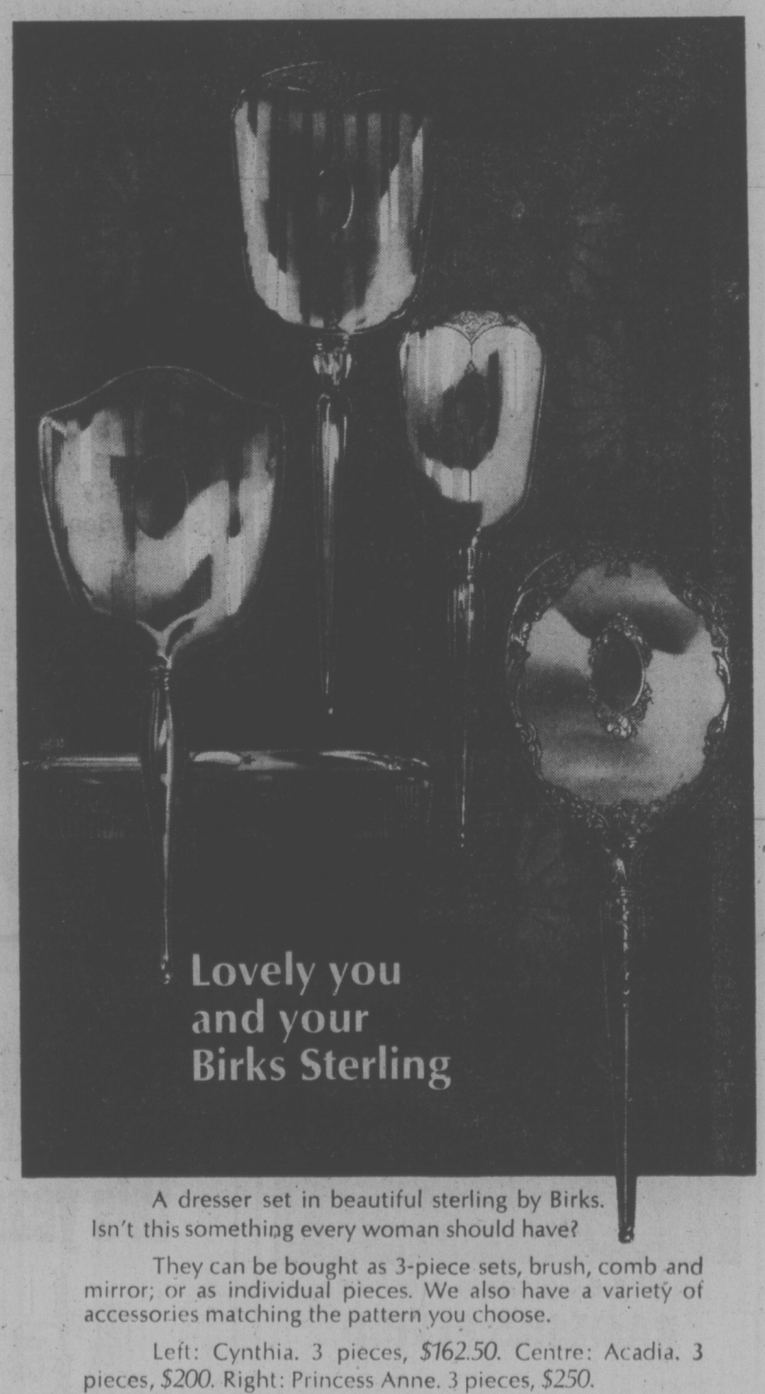

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Lunch 'Nothing Fancy?'

Cora McMillan is a reader who invited me to lunch — "nothing fancy — just family."

I would like to know what she considers to be fancy for the lunch she prepared for four of us was gorgeous: Chicken Kiev; fresh asparagus with cheese sauce; hot rolls and a beautiful fruit ring which doubled as a table centre. It is Cora's fruit ring I am giving you today. The primary part is one of those jellied rings our readers love so dearly and the decorative accompaniments are mounds of colorful fruits.

Cora's Cream Fruit Ring
(Serves 8)

1 3-oz. pkg. lemon jelly powder.
1 c. boiling water.
¾ c. cold liquid (water and syrup from pineapple—see below).
15 regular size marshmallows cut small.
1 19-oz. can crushed pineapple DRAINED.
¾ c. (6-oz.) pimento cream cheese (room temperature).
½ pt. whipping (32%) cream.
4 red glace cherries halved (for garnish).
4 green glace cherries halved (for garnish).
8 (approx.) large whole pecans (for garnish).

Fruits:

Clusters of Ribier grapes.
Clusters of frosted Malaga grapes
Mounds of honey dew melon balls.
Mounds of cantaloupe balls.

To make Ring dissolve thoroughly the lemon jelly powder in the boiling water. Add ¾ c. of liquid made up of the juice drained from pineapple and water. Chill until HALF set.

Cut up the marshmallows with scissors dipped in hot water in about 6 pieces each. In a large bowl mix them with the cheese and pineapple and beat on "high" to blend. Wash beaters and whip the cream until stiff and fold it into the marshmallow-pineapple mixture. As soon as lemon jelly is half set fold it into the pineapple-cream mixture. Pour into one 4-cup ring mould (and one 2-cup mould for future meal). CHILL. (See below for alternate mould size.)

To serve turn out at centre of large round serving dish or silver tray. Decorate top with halved green and red cherries and pecans.

YOUR HOROSCOPE

Forecast for Sunday, Dec. 8

By SYDNEY OMARR

ARIES (March 21 — April 19): Areas usually settled or conservative exhibit tendency to be rebellious. Not wise now to take any person for granted. Emphasis is on getting along with those who claim you are all wet. Means strive to make believers of skeptics, allies of adversaries.

TAURUS (April 20 — May 20): Study Aries message. Avoid seeing only as you wish — instead, see minus rose-colored glasses. A fast-talker is trying to talk you out of something of value. Know it and keep guard up — don't buy proverbial Brooklyn Bridge!

GEMINI (May 21 — June 20): Get down to business of organization. Don't play games with emotions. Older individual is demanding more attention. Be generous without being foolish. Love is in picture and feelings are delicate. A bit of flattery now will go a long, long way.

CANCER (June 21 — July 22): Completion is keynoted. A transaction, long left hanging, comes to fruition. Many seem drawn to you now with their problems. Be gracious, sympathetic without becoming inextricably involved. Aries, Scorpio and Libra may be involved.

LEO (July 23 — Aug. 22): You may find that your position is stronger than previously indicated. You can express greater independence of thought, action. A gnawing problem is sighted and can be sunk. Know it and show no mercy. You have right to live your life happy, not harassed.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 — Sept. 22): You may find yourself in midst of conflict over money, budget, credits and deficits. Key is to see all points of view without abandoning principles. You may find yourself walking emotional tightrope. Maintain balance through flexibility, humor.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 — Oct. 22): Nothing is apt to remain same — even destination is subject to change. Know it and be ready to make adjustment — in transit. Message will be clarified by special call, communication. Gemini, Sagittarius are likely to be involved.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 — Nov. 21): Many around you are afraid to state cases in hard, factual manner. It will be up to you to revere truth, to stand by it and to stand up for it. Someone is hiding and the facts should be on the table, not hidden behind closed doors. Yes, do something about it!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 — Dec. 21): Friendship is tested — money could be involved. Key now is to accept change, to be analytical, to dig beneath superficiality. Find reasons; discern motives. Mate or partner has questions concerning security.

CAPRICORN. (Dec. 22 — Jan. 19): Home life, domestic adjustments — these are emphasized. Taurus, Libra could be in picture. Make gesture of reconciliation. The more diplomacy you display, the better for all. One in authority is uncertain and, very likely, in a troubled state. Be considerate.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 — Feb. 18): What seems within reach has tendency to slide away. Know it and check your grip. Means be sure others are going to pull their weight, adhere to their agreements. Refuse to be left holding proverbial bag.

PISCES (Feb. 19 — March 20): Involvement is emphasized. Member of opposite sex plays prominent role. Accent is on gaining co-operation of individual, who can looosen money belt. Present your case in graphic, appealing, factual manner.

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY you are an organizer, a passionate individual, a hard worker, dedicated, controversial and sure that you are part of a destiny plan. Capricorn, Cancer individuals figure prominently in your life. December is one of your most important months of this year, a year which has featured change, special relationships and travel. In 1976, you could be changing residence — or lifestyle. If single, marriage is "just around the corner."

Forecast for Monday, Dec. 9

ARIES (March 21 — April 19): Upsets in planning need not be interpreted as setbacks. Surpises occur in areas of marriage, legal agreements, partnerships and public relations. You may have to tear down in order to rebuild.

TAURUS (April 20 — May 20): The way is cleared to remove logjam. Significant changes occur and could involve travel. Gemini, Virgo persons may be featured. Accent is on work, health, special services and innovations. You'll be happier!

GEMINI (May 21 — June 20): Affairs of heart dominate — emotions take over and logic could suffer setback. Taurus, Libra, Libra persons are in picture. Accent in on change, variety, possibility of a journey. Member of opposite sex could act in eccentric manner. Take it in stride!

CANCER—(June 21 — July 22): Changes occur at home base. Someone wants something of value from you — without proper compensation. Know it and refuse to sell yourself short. Get appraisal from reliable source. You'll understand!

LEO (July 23 — Aug. 22): Relatives, usually with opposing views, get together and seem intent on drawing you into dispute. Maintain strength through humor and quiet dignity. You have right to live your own life — with or without approval of uncles and aunts.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 — Sept. 22): Money and service need to be analyzed. Be sure you are getting money's worth. Tendency is to skip details and to be "loose with change." Your intuition is on target. Know it and heed inner voice. Aries, Libra are likely to be involved.

LIBRA. (Sept. 23 — Oct. 22): Cycle high and you win through unorthodox moves, procedures. Be independent, original. Refuse to be painted into corner. Express yourself and enlarge personal horizons. Leo is in picture and your style is imprinted and even publicized.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 — Nov. 21): One who aided and taught you may now need a favor in return. If you give, you also will receive by building bridges of goodwill. You need not be foolish, but you can be generous. Accent is on a closed-door meeting. Your character and potential are the main subjects!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 — Dec. 21): Some friends may seem intent on "needling" you. Appreciate fact that you are not living in proverbial ivory tower. Accept knocks and bouquets with equanimity. A wish is about to be fulfilled. Congratulations!

CAPRICORN. (Dec. 22 — Jan. 19): You receive recognition — you get credit and cash, too. You face reality and you know where you stand. Accent is on prestige, responsibility, promotion and successful dealings with those who have achieved.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 — Feb. 18): Your ability to communicate is enhanced. Your style is richer and your words pack a wallop. You are able to reach more people as distribution, advertising and publicity pay dividends. Gemini, Sagittarius and Virgo persons are in picture.

PISCES (Feb. 19 — March 20): Much that occurs is "whispered." Means there are confidences to be kept, clandestine meetings on agenda. Key is diplomacy. You gain most now by winning rather than forcing, by charm rather than brawn. Know it and act accordingly.

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY you're frank, direct, concerned with justice and medicine, fascinated by the theater and happy about lifestyle adjustments made this year. You will, in 1975, begin to perfect many techniques, will find where you stand with "special people" and will find that January and October are outstanding money months. Aries, Libra persons play key roles in your life.

Free for the Asking

By HARRIET HART

Although venereal diseases have been around for thousands of years, many people still don't know what they involve.

The 8-page pamphlet "Facts You Should Know About Vd" ("Pour une meilleure connaissance des maladies veneriennes") alerts readers to the dangers of syphilis and gonorrhea.

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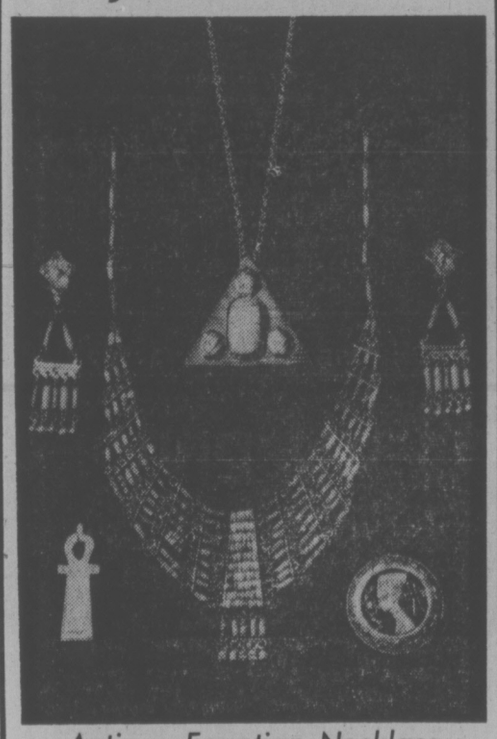

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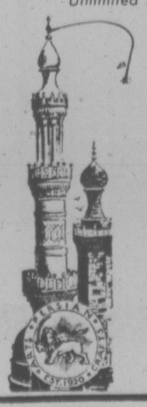

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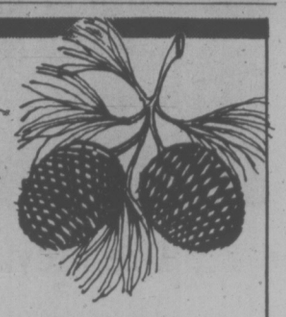

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Western Diplomats Pessimistic About Early Cyprus Solution

By DUSKO DODER

ATHENS (WP) — Western diplomats dealing with the Cyprus problem are deeply pessimistic about the prospect for any quick solution that would bring peace to the war-torn Mediterranean island.

Although Greek and Greek Cypriot leaders said last weekend that they have agreed on a "common line" in future negotiations with Turkey over the future of Cyprus, their announcement masked the absence of any concrete accord on what they described as "the starting of negotiations on the substance of the Cyprus problem."

Archbishop Makarios, the ousted president of Cyprus, told Greek Cypriot journalists that he would decide on the Greek Cypriots' basic approach in the negotiations after he returns to Cyprus to reclaim his office. Qualified sources say there is no doubt that Markarios intends to take full charge of the talks with the Turks, but they add that he has not made up his mind about his negotiating position.

Athens newspapers, which earlier carried opitmistic accounts of the weekend negotiations between Premier Constantine Karmanlis, Markarios and action Cyprus President Glafkos Clerides, are now more reserved and speak about "considerable differences." Karamanlis reportedly had urged Makarios to adopt a more "realistic" position on Cyprus, which was invaded by the Turks last July. The Turks now occupy roughly 40 per cent of the island and have made it clear they will not accept any settlement short of a geographic federation that would protect the interests of the Turkish-Cypriot minority.

Makarios, who was toppled in a military coup in July, has publicly said that he would "never" accept a geographical federation. But he has said that he is prepared to discuss a federation "on an administrative basis."

The Greek press reported that all participants in the weekend talks "now accept the principle of federation as basis for a final solution," but that there are "considerable differences on how this principle will be implemented in practice."

Premier Caramanlis escorts Makarios after talks

In essence, the fundamental issue in forthcoming talks with the Turks has not been resolved here. Both diplomatic sources and persons close to Makarios say there is no way to predict what sort of position the archbishop will take once he returns to Cyprus. He had announced that he would fly back there Friday, but on Thursday he postponed the return trip until today.

Makarios's return to Cyprus, moreover, can further complicate the situation. The Turks have said they will not negotiate with him. Claiming that the archbishop's return to Cyprus was likely to "increase tension," Turkey has extended martial law in four southern provinces, and last week warned Greece about complications that may arise as a result of Makarios's return. Some influential persons were reported to be trying to persuade Makarios to postpone his return to Cyprus. Yet Makarios remains the key player in a complex diplomatic game since no Cyprus settlement is likely to be acceptable to the majority of Greek Cypriots without his endorsement.

The outcome of the weekend talks here is viewed by ovservers as a clear victory for the archbishop and buys time for Karamanlis, who wants to keep Greece out of the talks with Turkey.

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Makarios aides say the archbishop was very pleased with the outcome. They added that while no basic accord was reached on concrete strategy, "there were no disagreements either."

The archbishop seemed to have given in on one important point, agreeing to give written instructions to Clerides in his future talks with Rauf Denktash, the Turkish Cypriot leader. Clerides, who has been Makarios' top negotiator in the talks over several years, insisted on having written instructions.

Makarios seems to have emerged as dominant over Clerides, the acting president since July. Makarios rejected Clerides' view that Greek Cypriots should accept the Turkish objective of two separate communities on the island joined in a federation, in return for Turkish withdrawals from parts of the Greek territory they seized last summer.

Plea Rejected

ATHENS (Reuter) — Greece's supreme administrative court has rejected an appeal by former president George Papadopoulos against a government order last October which banished him to the Aegean island of Kea, ruling the order was legal. Papadopoulos, a former colonel who masterminded the April, 1967, coup which brought the military to power, and 49 army officer-members of his junta, face charges of high treason and could be sentenced to death if found guilty.

SUMMIT 'MUST SUCCEED'

BRUSSELS (WP) — Summit conferences are not the European Common Market's forte.

On Monday, leaders from the wine-nation European Economic Community (EEC) will sit down in Paris to chip away at the monumental obstacles which have cropped up between them since the outbreak of the oil crisis.

When they do, French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing and his guests will have to strain as much under past summit failures as at the thorny issues at hand.

The main issue is how to ride out, together, the economic storm which is playing havoc with the Common Market's greatest edifice: prosperity.

The summit agenda reads like any number of low-level meetings of government economists in every world capital: inflation, unemployment, energy supplies and so on. "The summit must succeed," the editorial in a Belgian daily said last week, and for most observers here, it really is a case of "must" rather than "could" or "should." For if the EEC leaders' talks end in anything less than agreement on most points, the economic consequences could tear the EEC apart at its seams.

There is some reason to question the wisdom of calling a summit in the first place. In the past, summits produced at best good intentions without the will to follow them up.

The October, 1972 summit of EEC leaders in Paris was such a case. Wishful thinking permeated that meeting, a product of burgeoning economies and the euphoria of British, Irish and Danish entry into the Common Market. The EEC remained a stunning economic success story, marred only by little Norway's decision to stay out.

That summit ended with a detailed timetable for reaching a nonetheless hazy sort of political and economic union in Europe by 1980. Today, over two years later, virtually none of the foundations of that union have been laid.

One major cause for this failure can be placed on the shoulders of those same leaders who met for a second time "at the summit" in Copenhagen last December. It is the stinging memory of that failed summit which will be uppermost in the minds of the current leaders as they meet in Paris.

At Copenhagen, the Common Market nations adopted lofty promises to stand together in the face of the energy crisis. They then promptly split over what they meant. Should the EEC supply Holland with oil and risk being blacklisted by Arab suppliers? The question cropped up repeatedly, and the answer just as repeatedly came as a feeble "No."

Then the full irony of the EEC leaders' promises came into the open in Washington last February. Once again the EEC split, this time over the extent to which Europe should co-operate with the United States in the energy arena. France was resolutely negative. But its EEC partners saw consumer co-operation as the only sure hedge against higher oil prices and lower supplies.

The most often expressed view of the forthcoming Paris summit is that past summits have been so bad, this one has to be better. For all its nonsensical logic, that statement could well prove accurate.

Mind Change Fatal

BIELLA, Italy (AP) — A 40-year-old worker who set fire to his clothes in an attempted suicide rolled over in the grass apparently trying to put out the flames, police said. The man rolled over a cliff and plunged to his death.

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Artists and the Boards: The Friction Is Built In

audrey johnson

Troubles between arts boards and the professional directors of their organizations have been erupting in Victoria lately, and the resultant publicity has generated a flurry of comment and enquiry.

Some of it is anxious but much indicates a deep-down distrust in the ability of any artist to get along with any fellow human being. And vice versa.

Of course such a generality is as wide of the mark as is the impression voiced here and there that the situation is somehow unique to Victoria.

Problems are almost bound to arise from time to time in a dynamic situation, between the professional director who is concerned, as he should be, solely with the quality of his product, and the elected board. It happens all over the world.

Close to home, the Vancouver Symphony, Opera Association and Playhouse have all experienced confrontations between boards and their executives and directors.

A lot of troubles could be avoided for all these organizations by maintaining a static situation, but that is not possible for an arts organization worthy the name. Growth is essential and where there is growth there must be a degree of turmoil.

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The differences that jangle, and often totally interrupt, harmonious communication between amateur boards and their employed professionals are sometimes merely differences of attitude and of where the stress lies.

Truth, which usually differs to some degree between one person and another, can be at its greatest divergence between a symphony or theatre director and the board that has to deal with balances, deficits, money raising and other housekeeping chores.

Boards would find their path easier if artistic directors could be tame pussycats. But that is not the nature of things. A pussycat is not likely to produce any worthwhile results, especially in the performing arts.

A strong hand on the reins, imagination that breeds daring and innovative moves, a constant urge toward greater achievement — these are important attributes if a director is to be something more than merely competent.

Added to this, and protest as any of them may, artists of this kind function under a god-complex that leads them to overlook a fact of life that more ordinary people maintain in the forefront of their consciousness: they are employees.

They dominate their actors, their musicians, their workers in whatever category. And in the carry-over they expect to dominate their boards, who in turn are thin-skinned about criticism and autocracy from the person they have hired at a considerable remuneration while they are giving their time and the best of their knowledge and experience for no monetary reward.

But don't run off with the idea that the possible egomania of the artistic director solely brings about the clashes that one hears from arts boards at frequent intervals. It takes two to tango and more for a real fracas to develop.

Friction between board members themselves, loss of perspective as to where the major goal lies and what is at stake if certain actions are pursued, failures in administration that threaten the well-being of the all-important end product, all are factors just as disruptive of good order.

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Following that first performance at least two concerts were given each season, first under Stanley Bulley and later under Graham Steed, both Cathedral organists.

The orchestra wing of the organization became the nucleus of the Victoria Symphony in 1940-41 and in 1952 the name of the chorus was changed to Victoria Choral Society.

Victoria Choral is now embarking on a celebration of its 40th anniversary year. Aptly, the first event will be two performances of the Messiah on Dec. 15 and 16 at the Royal Theatre, coinciding almost to the day with that of 40 years ago.

Conductor will be the present occupant of the music director's post, Rodney Webster, who has held that position for the past several years.

An excellent orchestra of symphony principals has been brought together for the event under the leadership of symphony concert master Harry Cawood. Continuo will be provided by James Hunter on cello with Robin Wood, harpsichord, and Richard Proudman, organ.

Soloists are soprano Selena James, contralto Elizabeth Taylor, tenor Donald Twine and bass Donald Cant.

The Sunday performance will be at 2:30 p.m. and the Monday repeat at 8 p.m.

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A Musical Pot-Pourri

A concert that tosses together in a pot-pourri an assortment of light, classical instrumental and operatic music will take place Wednesday in the sanctuary of Centennial United Church.

Arranged and directed by Ian Westmacott, the concert will feature soprano Erika Kurth and tenor Arthur Wiebe, with the Oak Bay String Orchestra directed by Bernard Rain and Centennial Church Choir directed and accompanied at the organ by Westmacott.

The Oak Bay Strings, an ensemble of 29 gifted young players, will perform music by Bach, Corelli and Handel as well as selections from Sound of Music.

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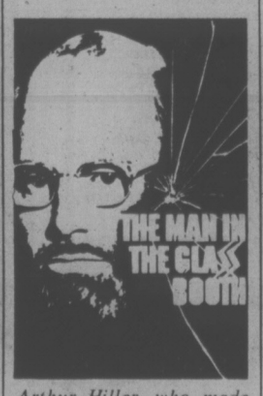

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The Stones Produce Their Own

ROLLING STONE

By STEVE TURNER

LONDON — Twenty-one albums on, Keith Richard is back in Richmond, the Thameside London suburb where the Rolling Stones first played the local clubs 12 years ago. This time he's staying at Ronnie Wood's place, pouring out the Jack Daniels, chatting with visitor Jimmy Page, toying with the dagger he carries in a leather sheath and playing for his guests the final mix of the Stones' new LP, It's Only Rock 'n' Roll.

With Jaggar sporting a recently smoothed-down image, it seems left to Richard, with his tangled hair and earring, to project the Stones' air of disrespectful menace.

Richard's attention, though, is mainly on the new album. All the songwriting credits, as usual, go to Jagger and Richard, with the exception of a reworked version of the Temptations' "Ain't Too Proud to Beg." Richard says that album's overall quality is "a step forward — not just marking time. Sometimes you feel you've done an album where you're not really doing anything further, you're not taking things beyond what you've already done. You're just in one kind of groove and you feel you just want to stay in that position ... Goat's Head Soup, to me, was a marking-time album. I like it in many ways, but I don't think it has the freshness that this one has. Listening to it a couple of months ago and comparing it to this one, that's how I felt."

Work on It's Only Rock 'n' Roll began a year ago at Munich's Musicland Studios, a few weeks after the end of the band's European tour. That studio was picked because the Stones (except for Jagger) can't stay in England long enough to record and didn't want to travel Stateside to work. Recording began with only a handful of songs already written. "Rock and roll can't be planned or prepared," says Richard. "You can have a few basic structures though. I wrote maybe three of the songs in the studio, just warming up before the rest of the guys arrived, and Mick had a couple that he had ready . . and that's the way it goes. I'm not the sort of person who sits down at home with a guitar, writes a whole song and says, 'That's how I hear it,' because I play in a band and leave it up to them to tell me how it should go for them."

For the first time since Their Satanic Majesties Request, the Stones have gone to the studio without producer Jimmy Miller. "I think we'd come to a point with Jimmy where the contribution level had dropped because it'd got to be a habit, a way of life for Jimmy to do one Stones' album a year. He'd got over the initial sort of excitement which you can feel on Beggars' Banquet and Let It Bleed. Also, Mick and I felt that we wanted to try and do it ourselves, because we really felt we knew much more about techniques and recording and had our own ideas of how we wanted things to go."

Richard believes that the album's enthusiasm was due in part to the Stones starting sessions just after two months on the road. "We were really hot and ready to play some new material. We booked a couple of weeks, went in and cut about half the album with Billy Preston on keyboards. They we split and came back again after Christmas for another two weeks, this time with Nicky Hopkins on piano, and by the end of those two weeks we'd cut enough tracks for the album plus half again. Then we had to choose which ones we were going to work on vocal-wise. So we made a short list of about 12 or 13 tracks, and then in April I came over to England to meet Mick, and we finished off writing those that hadn't been completed lyric-wise, because a lot of them had been written in a very loose framework to start with — maybe just a chorus or a hookline or something.

"You see, even when we're not actually in the studios, nobody has actually forgotten about it . . . you're thinking about it all the time. You're at home listening to a rough cassette mix of it, thinking of how you want to put the whole song together, because maybe you've got it on this very thin thread, maybe just a hookline, and you've got to expand the song in a particular way, both in the way you want it to go and in what you want to say. When you've got a certain kind of track only certain kinds of lyrics are going to fit that feel, that sound, so you've got to put it together. What's great is when they come together, when the lyrics and music all come at once. That's a joy, but a lot of times it's really painstaking work.

"They we got on and did the vocals, and I left Mick for a couple of weeks to do his solo vocals, because he often comes up with his best stuff alone in the studio with just an engineer. Then he doesn't feel like he's hanging anybody up."

Richard will soon return to his winter home in Switzerland, where Jagger will join him for another burst of songwriting — with a January recording date in mind, either for a single or contributing towards an album.

"I would like to work on the road a lot more," muses Richard. "I like playing live because for me it helps everything else. It helps me write songs, it helps me to improve my playing, it given me ideas and it stimulates me. But I have to respect the fact that there are other members of the band, say Bill Myman and Charlie Watts, who have a need for a really stable home life in one place. They need that anchor, whereas my old lady and myself are very nomadic sort of people.

"There'll almost definitely be a spring tour in America, maybe a little more relaxed than last — not so many one-nighters. Maybe we could split it up a bit, because every time we go back we play bigger and bigger stadiums. If we have to play these big places, obviously we'll have to do it, but if possible we'd like to do what we experimented with last time in L.A. — playing in a small place like the Palladium as well.

"The reason that we haven't done more live gigs recently is because, until this album comes out, we haven't really got any new material to lay on anyone. We've only got the same old show that we've been doing for the last couple of years, and we don't want to repeat ourselves anymore."

KEITH RICHARDS . . . the new menace

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TORCH SINGER OF THE 70s

By JON LANDAU

Maria Muldaur was last year's biggest surprise. A remarkably sophisticated album, it was released to little official fanfare. It then went on to spawn one enormous single ("Midnight At the Oasis"), hold a position on the trade charts for more than a year, and sell over 900,000 copies. It's still going strong, and that isn't bad for the first solo album from an uncompromising singer who labored in obscurity for the preceding decade.

Muldaur is rock's first torch singer of the '70s. Because she neither writes nor sings with the raw power of some women performers, she's had to develop an original musical personality. She's mastered aspects of gospel, blues, country, jazz and rock singing, but she imparts her own brand of cool to each.

Maria has been called a fox, but she's really so much more. She sings about sex with an adult sense of joyfulness instead of a sophomoric leer. But she can sing about anything with maturity, self-awareness and a touching sense of her own vulnerability.

On Waitress In a Donut Shop she sounds like she's been woodshedding. Instead of resting on her laurels and serving the warmed-up leftovers so often used for the sequel to a successful album, she's stretched her own limits. Every cut on the album represents a challenge successfully met.

Muldaur unifits the eclectic material and the styles of the wide-ranging assortment of super-pros who accompany her through the distinctiveness of her touch. She creates tension through what she leaves out and what she refuses to do. She never loses control and never pulls out the stops. Her version of Allen Toussaint's "Brickayrd Blues" is the best yet, but even on its rambunctious chorus she never completely surrenders.

When she hits the sexual metaphors of "It Ain't the Meat It's the Motion" and "If You Haven't Any Hay," she resist the temptation to break out of character or to depart from the style of the songs. She never relies on the cheap swagger because she knows that honest confidence is mroe convincing.

When she wanders into more emotional material, she maintains that same composure. My favorite cut is a new song by the fine young writer and singer Anna McGarrigle, "Cool River." Through Maria's vocal discretion she fulfulls the song's intended mood of serenity. She leans on the haunting "Oh Papa," but she never bends it out of shape.

As good as Maria Muldaur was, on Waitress In a Donut Shop Maria sings consistently better. On the other hand, the material is not quite on a par with the earlier album's. She found no new songs to equal "The Work Song" and "Mad Mad Me." And for music this funky, Joe Boyd and Lenny Waronker's production is sometimes too polished for its own good. But that's only by way of second-guessing this extremely well-done follow-up to their initial triumph.

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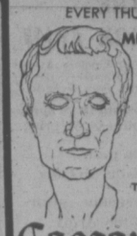

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"THE KLANSMAN"
Technicolor® A Paramount Release
NOW SHOWING—
ROYAL
805 BROUGHTON—383-5715
Warning: Violence, Coarse Language and Rape.—R. W. McDonald, B.C. Director.
Sat. at 1:15, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:10
Sun. at 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:10
Last Comp. Show 9:00 p.m.

If this movie doesn't make your skin crawl...
IT'S ON TOO TIGHT!
Black Christmas
starring OLIVIA HUSSEY, KEIR DULLEA, MARGOT KIDDER
also starring JOHN SAXON as Lt. Fuller
Warning—Swearing and Very Coarse Language, Gory Scenes. R. W. McDonald, B.C. Dir.
CAPITOL
805 YATES—384-6515
Sat. 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:20 p.m.
Sun. 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:20 p.m.
THIRD WEEK!

—SHOWING TONIGHT and SUNDAY ONLY—
"KUNG FU"
8:07 THE ANGRY DRAGON!
Mature Ent.
PLUS
9:50 KUNG FU'S HERO!
Mature Ent. Warning: Violence throughout. — R. W. McDonald.
TILLICUM Drive-In
BURNSIDE AT TILLICUM—382-7551
GATES 7:15
SHOW 8:00

9TH WEEK
Mature
Frequent Coarse Language. B.C. Dir.
ODEON 1
780 YATES STREET
383-0513
BURT REYNOLDS
IN "THE LONGEST YARD"
Nightly 6:45 - 9:10
Mat. Fri., Sat., Sun. 2:00, 4:20

CROSS IT -- and you get crossed off!
ODEON 2
780 YATES STREET
383-0513
MACON COUNTY LINE
Warning - Brutal Violence, Rape, Coarse Language throughout. - B.C. Dir.
Doors 1:15
Shows 1:30, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:05.

HAIDA
809 YATES STREET
382-4278
a Blake Edwards film
Julie Andrews Omar Sharif
The Tamarind Seed
General Entertainment
Nightly 6:45-9:10
Matinees Sat., Sun. 2:00-4:15
Wed. 2:00 only.

COUNTING HOUSE CINEMA 1
BROAD AT BROUGHTON
383-3434
Nightly 7:00, 9:10
THE EXORCIST
Warning: Very frightening picture; some extremely coarse language.
R. W. McDonald, B.C. Dir.

COUNTING HOUSE CINEMA 2
BROAD AT BROUGHTON
383-3434
SIDDHARTHA
A Novel by Hermann Hesse
India, In English
Nightly 7:05-9:05

Saanich Community Church
(Mennonite Brethren)
3220 Cedar Hill Road
10 a.m. — Family Worship
Experience, Love and Fellowship
Pastor: G. L. Braun

BAHA'I
385-8131

THE SALVATION ARMY
Citadel Corps—757 Pandora Avenue
Corps Officers—
Major and Mrs. Ivan McNeilly
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting
7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Meeting
A warm welcome awaits you at the Army

NAZARENE
2571 Quadra Street
Rev. Eugene Culbertson
Pastor
Sunday Services:
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship—6:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
A Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.
Chamber St. at Pandora Ave.
Nursery and Elevator Available
SUNDAY SERVICES: 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Subject:
'GOD THE ONLY CAUSE AND CREATOR'
Sunday School: 9:30 and 11:00 a.m
Testimony Meeting Wed., 8:00 p.m.
Free Public Reading Room
Open Daily — 1210 Broad St.
All Are Welcome
Listen Regularly to
"THE TRUTH THAT HEALS"
Sundays at 8:45 a.m.
CFMS, 98.5 mgs Chan. 12 Cablevision

CHRISTIAN REFORMED
Agnes and Glanford
WORSHIP SERVICES
at 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Minister: Rev. P. W. DeBruyne

CHRISTADELPHIAN
1396 McKenzie Ave.
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
Breaking of Bread
Lecture D.V.
7:30 p.m.
THE HOUR OF DECISION
A. Bull

KNOX
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
2964 Richmond Avenue
11:00
"WHY DID HE COME?"
Church School—11:00—All Depts.
Rev. A. M. Beaton, B.A.
Minister

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
932 Balmoral
11 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE
A WELL-SPRING OF JOY
Sunday School: 11 a.m.
Minister:
Rev. John A. Watson
Organist and Choir Director:
Mr. John Tunstall

VICTORIA PRAYER GROUP
Wednesday, 11th at 3 p.m.
YM-YWCA CHAPEL
Healing Prayers Christmas Program
ALL WELCOME

Reformed Episcopal Church of Our Lord
1874 1974
Victoria's Historic Church
Corner Humboldt and Blanshard
Rector:
Rt. Rev. Gordon Stacey, D.D.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Everyone Welcome
Dec. 15 — 4:30 p.m.
CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT
with
The Choir of St. Joseph's School of Nursing
Director: Mr. C. Dorrington
Organist: Mr. B. Hosking, B.Mus.
Proceeds from this service in aid of Renovation Fund

TRINITY
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
2964 TILLICUM
at Gorge Plaza
Minister, Rev. G. D. Smith, M.A.
11:00 a.m.
THE BOOK STILL SPEAKS
Rev. G. D. Smith, MA

WORLDWIDE CHURCH OF GOD
Affiliated with Ambassador College and Garner Ted Armstrong
SERVICES SATURDAY, 10:30 A.M.
2750 QUADRA STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.
Minister: Mr. G. Patrickson — Phone 477-4065
Listen to World Tomorrow, Broadcast 10:30 Nightly, CJVI

THE BRITISH-ISRAEL WORLD FEDERATION
Canada Victoria Branch
PUBLIC MEETING
Sunday Afternoon, Dec. 8
in the Dominion Hotel at 3 p.m.
DOMINION-WIDE DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE
Radio Broadcasts every Sunday 10 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. on K.A.R.I. (550)

10:30 a.m.—JOHN STONE
7:00 p.m.—LEONARD SIMCOE
(Two choice guest ministries. 8:30 p.m.: "AFTERGLOW",
Queens avenue Apostolic church
John D. Francis, Pastor 804 Queens Ave. 477-6070

VICTORIA ALLIANCE CHURCH
1702 Townley Street — Telephone 382-1821
PASTOR: REV. H. G. CLARK
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School Hour. A class for every age
11:00 a.m. — SERMON "TV AND ME"
7:00 p.m.—FILM "TV AND THEE"
"Holding Forth the Word of Life"

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Downtown — Douglas St. at Broughton
The Rev. Bruce J. Molloy, M.A., B.D., M.Th.
The Rev. Andrew J. Mowatt, C.D., B.A., B.D., D.D., M.Th.
9:45 a.m.: Bible Study; 10 a.m.: Young People's Society; 10 a.m.: Campus and Career Group; 4 p.m.: Youth Supper Meeting
11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
SUNDAY, DEC. 22, 11 a.m.—Family Carol Service (Baptisms)
7 p.m.—Service of Lessons and Carols
CHRISTMAS DAY (Wed., Dec. 25th), 10 a.m.—Family Service

Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

CHINESE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
800 Princess Street
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. — SUNDAY SERVICES
Wednesday — Prayer 7:30
Friday — Youth 8:00 p.m.
PASTOR STEPHEN WONG 383-3878

North Douglas Pentecostal Tabernacle
Douglas at Canterbury
Pastor: Rev. Harold Pendray
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—"YOU ARE IMPORTANT"
Crusader Church Parade
7:15 p.m.
"GOD'S SUMMIT CONFERENCE"
EVERYBODY WELCOME

COLWOOD PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
COMMUNITY CHILDREN'S HALL
2219 SOOKE ROAD
JOIN US 9:45 — Sunday School for All Ages
11:00 a.m. — MORNING SERVICE
Pastor Don McMillan welcomes you — 478-5293

Glad Tidings
PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
842 NORTH PARK ST
God's Word as it is- For Men as They Are.
9:45 a.m. — CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR
★ SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM
11:00 a.m. — PASTOR HAWKES preaches on
"CHRISTMAS PICTURES IN FUTURITY"
7:00 p.m.—GREAT EVENING RALLY
— Special Music — Band
— Sanctuary Singers
PERSPECTIVE—CHRISTMAS SPECIAL FRIDAY 20
Channel 10 at 10
THEN DON'T MISS
VICTORIA'S PREMIERE PRESENTATION
THE CANDLE OF SONG
DECEMBER 20 - 21 - 22 — 7:30 P.M.
Pastors: Paul Hawkes; Colin R. Wellard; Bill Hale

NO Generation GAP
at
JAMES BAY UNITED
2 Services Sunday, 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Family Service and Study Groups for all Ages.
7:30 P.M. TOPIC: WORLD IN CRISIS
with REG. and COLLEEN CARBOL

VICTORIA TRUTH CENTRE
SCIENCE OF THOUGHT
Dr. E. M. Smiley, Minister
11:00 a.m.—"SAVIOURS OF THE WORLD"
7:30 p.m.—Guest Speaker at this meeting will be Rev. Charles Glauser. His subject:
"THINK ON THESE THINGS"
11:00 a.m.—Children's Church of the Golden Key and Young People's Society. All children are invited to attend this Church where children are invited to turn to God and receive their answers to life's questions.
1201 Fort St. EVERYONE WELCOME

TRINITY CHRISTIAN CENTRE
Just Off Craigflower
Raynor and Fullerton
The Difference Is Worth the Distance
11:00 a.m.—Pastor Harald Bredesen
"HE GIVETH US THE VICTORY"
7:00 p.m.—Curtis Mitchell ministers
Wednesday, 11th Dec., 7:30 p.m.
LANSON ROSS will be speaking and showing LARRY WARD'S film
"I WAS HUNGRY"

Emmanuel Baptist Church
2121 CEDAR HILL CROSSROAD Tel 592-2418
Pastor: Norman K. Archer, B.D., A.L.B.C.
Lay Minister: Karl Janzen
Youth Minister; Norman Barton, M.A.
Minister of Media: Frank Martens
9:30 a.m. Family Service
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
GREAT VOICES (1)
"THE VOICE OF THE PROPHET"
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
HOW TO KNOW GOD (10)
"AT LAST, I KNOW!"
Victoria's popular "SUMMER SINGERS" (directed by Don Kyle) will present a program of Christmas Music during the Evening Worship.
Pastor Archer preaching at all three services.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
833 PANDORA AVENUE
Pastor — Rev. Robert D. Holmes, B.Th.
Assistant to Pastor—Cecil V. Eno
Associate in Christian Education — Miss Verne Scott
8:45 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.
"CONFESSION"
(Studies in Leviticus)
—Two Similar Services—
9:45 a.m.—FAMILY BIBLE SCHOOL
(479 attended last Sunday)
7 p.m. YOUTH SERVICE:
"THE GOOD SAMARITAN AND TODAY'S DRUG SCENE"
** Youth Choir
** The Pastor and John King of Lifeline
"We present Christ crucified, crowned and coming again"

PERSPECTIVES AND PREJUDICES

Finance Woe for Churches

By REV. J. A. DAVIDSON

Leaders of the major denominations in Canada have developed fixed furrows in their brows because the serious decline in recent years in the revenues needed for the maintenace and expansion of their programs. For instance, in the United Church of Canada there was in 1973 only a 5.7 per cent increase in contributions to the Mission and Service Fund, the major source of money for denominational programs at home and abroad. The amount in 1973 was just over $10 million: slightly more was raised in 1968, and in each of the intervening years the amount was under ten million. Most other denominations can give similar reports.

Most of the money needed for denominational programs and missions comes from the congregations. Very few congregations are not now caught in financial crunches, and meetings of financial managers are not joyous occasions in most congregations.

The great church extension boom — roughly, from 1950 to 1965 — was very costly. In 1967 United Church congregations had liabilities of nearly $45 million, most of which was in building loans and mortgages. By 1973 this had been reduced to $26 million but even then the interest payments alone came very close to the total amount being spent by the United Church on its world outreach programs.

With the easy wisdom of hindsight we can now see that there was some unnecessary building of churches during that period. But, then, the people of Peachview did need churches right there: Petunia Park was just too far away. And dear old St. Thermogene's, in the older part of the city, did need to be modernized and added to if it were to do its job properly. And now we have many semi-demoralized congregations being led by semi-demoralized ministers.

My prediction — and this prediction come more out of hope than out of despair — is that within 15 or so years we will have in our cities fewer congregations. Many of them will have two or three ministers working as a team and able to give the various kinds of specialized leadership necessary in a congregation trying to respond to the challenges and opportunities it faces. Perhaps, except in the smaller communities, the one-minister church is already obsolescent. A factor often ignored during the church-extension boom and not always taken seriously today is that the horseless-carriage does seem to be here to stay. After all if you have to use the car to get you to church, does it matter much if you must drive for four minutes or for fourteen?

The Church is a religious institution, not a business one — but without serious and far-ranging attention to the economic realities of its life it will dangerously hobble itself as a religious institution. I have confidence that there is leadership, both ministerial and lay and at both denominational and congregational levels, which will come to terms with the new economic situation and make the adjustments necessary for the continuation and extension of the Churches as effective agencies of the mission of Jesus Christ in the world.

MARRIAGE NOT FOR THE BIRDS

TORONTO (UPI) — Marriage is not for the birds, decreed the members of a Toronto church.

So they banned the Rev. Lindsay King from performing a marriage ceremony for two talking mynah birds, Rajah and Rani.

"They felt the ceremony would be making a mockery of marriage," King, 44, said Thursday.

"I disagreed with them but I must abide by their wishes. I still feel, however, the ceremony would have been useful in emphasizing the inclusiveness of Christ's teachings — that God loved the world.

"In order to get people's attention, sometimes you have to be foolish or cruel."

But despite the ban, an "engagement party" for the birds was scheduled at the Skylon Tower overlooking Niagara Falls.

"We hope they will be married eventually and produce offspring," said the birds' owner, 38-year-old Colin Kerr. "The ceremony may be performed on television in the United States, perhaps at a New York nightclub or a Las Vegas casino.

"We have received offers from a number of ministers willing to officiate, even a rabbi."

Kerr formerly owned a well-known Toronto nightspot, "The Mynah Bird," where Rajah presided over nude body-painting and other frolics.

GALLERY SHOWS LANDSCAPE ART

Ten British Columbia artists and 10 from other provinces are creators of the works in a new exhibition at Victoria Art Gallery.

The show is entitled Landscape Abbreviations and reveals contemporary visual focus of landscapes. These have aspects of the traditional and romantic combined with today's streamlined vision, which is compelled out of a speed-orientated society.

The artists are Claude Breeze, Ihor Dmytruk, K. M. Graham, Don Harvey, Jack Kidder, Anne Kipling, Bruce O'Neill, Toni Onley, Roland Pichet, Richard Prince, Otto Rogers, Zhdan V. Rudnychyj, Eric Rutherford, Robert Sinclair, Jack Shadbolt, Gordon Smith, Takao Tanabe, Carol Thompson, George Tiessen and Ken Wallace.

Landscape Abbreviations is funded by Canada Council and will be on view at the Gallery until Jan. 12.

CITY AND DISTRICT CHURCHES

LUTHERAN

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
1273 Fort St. 383-5256
Lutheran Church in America
(Across from Central Junior High)
9 a.m.—Worship Service
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Worship with Holy Communion
Minister: Rev. Ronald Nelson
"Come, let us worship the Lord!"

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS
Cedar Hill and Cedar Hill Crossroad
Alfred J. C. Johnson, Pastor, 477-3851
10:00 a.m.—Divine Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
The Church Where Families Worship Together.
Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada (E.L.C.C.—formerly A.L.C.)
Visitors Welcome

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSOURI SYNOD
1924 Carrick Street off Foul Bay
The Rev. L. M. Carlson, Pastor, 592-2308
Sunday School and Bible Class, 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.
A Church of "The Lutheran Hour" and "This Is the Life"

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
2815 Cedar Hill Road
Rev. Fred Knebel, Pastor
10 a.m.—English Service
11 a.m.—German Service
11 a.m.—Sunday School

SPIRITUALIST

OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST CHURCH
1600 Cook St.
Sunday, 7 p.m., Rev. Dorothy Harris
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Mrs. P. Mayell
Healing
Welcome to the Friendly Church
Christmas Bazaar Dec. 14, 2-4 p.m.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (Quakers)
MEETING FOR WORSHIP
SUNDAY, 11 A.M.
VISITORS WELCOME
1831 FERN STREET

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

PARKDALE EVAN. FREE CHURCH
1095 Tolmie Ave. 382-7513
SUNDAY
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Pastor, Carl Klassen
479-4431 384-3646

GOSPEL CHAPELS

OAKLANDS CHAPEL
Fernwood and Cedar Hill Road
Sunday
9:30 a.m.—Breaking of Bread
11:15 a.m.—Family Bible Hour And Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Speaker at both services:
Mr. Matthew Pollock of Vancouver
Thurs. 8:00 p.m.—Prayer and Bible Study
For Information and Counselling Monday through Friday
Office Hours: 10-12 a.m. — 595-6131

VICTORIA GOSPEL CHAPEL
935 Pandora Ave.
Sunday
9:30 a.m.
Worship and Breaking of Bread
11:15 a.m. Sunday School, Bible Class and Family Bible Hour
Speaker: Mr. W. Stinton
7:00 p.m.—Gospel Service
Speakers: Mr. D. McCartney and Mr. Byron Woods
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.—Prayer and Bible Study

PSYCHIC SCIENCE

VICTORIA CENTRE OF PSYCHIC SCIENCE
819 Fort Street
Sundays, 11 a.m.
Worship and Social Fellowship
Clairvoyance at every service.
Sunday School—4 to 12 years.
Mondays, between 7 and 9 p.m.—Contact Healing
Social and information period.
Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday monthly
Tea and Psychic Readings—1:30-3:15 p.m.

UNITARIAN

UNITARIAN CHURCH OF VICTORIA
106 Superior Street
10:30 a.m.—"The Curse of Maturity"
Reverend Richard J. Nobsworthy
7:30 p.m.—Fireside Hour
Everyone Welcome

United

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Quadra at Balmoral
Rev. Hugh M. Hunter
Rev. Dr. J. Scott Leith
Mr. Lawrence E. Moon
MORNING WORSHIP: 11:00 a.m.
"GREAT THINGS START IN SMALL WAYS"
Rev. Hugh M. Hunter
Church-School students attend first part of service and then proceed to classes.
Music Director: R. Dale McIntosh, A.R.C.T. M. Ed., M. Music
Organist: Corinne Du Val, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M.

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH
Pandora at Quadra Street
Ministers:
Rev. A. E. King, B.A., D.D.
Rev. E. L. Butler, B.A., S.T.M.
Rev. A. Calder, B.A.
11:00 a.m.
WHITE GIFT SERVICE and NATIVITY PAGEANT
(Presentation of money, food and children's clothing)
7:30 p.m.
"THE GIFTS"
Rev. A. Calder
Choir Director:
Don Kyle, B.A., B.Ed.
Organist:
Ursula Thomas, L.R.S.M.

CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH
Gorge Road at David Street
(Opp. Colony Motor Inn)
Minister—Rev. John Travis
11:00 a.m.
"'TIS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY?"
The Minister Preaching
Wednesday, December 11
at 8 p.m.
GRAND CONCERT
with
ERIKA KURTH
ART WIEBE
CHURCH CHOIR
and
OAK BAY STRING ORCHESTRA
Admission $2
Organist:
Ian R. Westmacott, ARCT

ST. AIDAN'S UNITED CHURCH
Richmond at Cedar Hill X Road
Ministers:
Rev. J. Rae Allan
Rev. Clare Holmes
Music Director: Vera Barclay
Organist: Henry Pluym
MORNING WORSHIP
9:30—Rev. Clare Holmes
11:00—Rev. Rae Allan
Advent Candlelighting
Nursery Provided
9:30 a.m.—All Sunday School Classes
11:00 a.m.—Kindergarten-Nursery

Oak Bay United
Mitchell and Granite
Minister: Rev. W. Van Druten
Organist—R. Kroeger
Youth Director—Ron Fuller
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
THE WORD OF GOD
Nursery and Kintergarten

FAIRFIELD UNITED CHURCH
Corner of Moss and Fairfield Road
Minister:
Rev. H. W. Kerley, Ph.D.
Organist: Ian Beadle, Mus. D.
Service—11:00 a.m.
Nursery and Kindergarten 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.

belmont avenue united church
The Rev. James S. Clarke, M.A., D.D.
2023 Belmont at Pembroke
11:00 Morning Service
Sunday School and Nursery

CORDOVA BAY UNITED
5166 Cordova Bay Road
9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship
Rev. Franck Patterson
477-6505

CADBORO BAY UNITED
2625 ARBUTUS ROAD
Dr. R. A. McLaren
Formerly of Naramata
10:00 a.m.
OUR WONDER
Sunday School
Nursery Service Provided

James Bay United
Corner Michigan and Menzies
9:30 a.m.
Sunday School and Family Service
11:00 a.m.
Morning Service (Child Care)
Rev. R. H. Dobson

GARDEN CITY UNITED
4054 Carey Road
10 a.m.
Service and Church School
Rev. Geoffrey Smith
477-6330

A Warm Welcome Awaits You at
GORDON HEAD UNITED
Tyndall and San Juan St.
11:00 a.m.
Morning Worship
Rev. Franck Patterson
477-6505

Anglican

christ church cathedral
Quadra at Courtney
2 Blocks up from Douglas
8:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist
9:15 a.m.—Church School
9:30 a.m.—Family Eucharist and Holy Baptism
Instruction: The Dean
11:00 a.m.—Sung Mattins and Eucharist
Sermon:
The Rev. R. C. Crawley
5:15 p.m.—Family Eucharist
Instruction: The Dean
7:30 p.m.—Evensong
Sermon:
The Rev. R. C. Crawley
WEEKDAYS
Mattins 9:00 a.m.
Evensong 5:15 p.m.
Holy Eucharist:
Tuesday 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday 11:00 a.m.
Thursday 7:30 a.m.
Friday 12:15 noon
ADVENT RECITAL SERIES
Sat., Dec. 14 — 4 p.m.
The Cantabile Singers
Madeleine Groos, conductor
Peter Bishop, organ and harpsichord
James Kennedy, flute

ST. JOHN'S
QUADRA AT MASON
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:30 a.m.
Family Communion and Sunday School
(Nursery Facilities)
11:00 a.m.
Mattins; Sermon:
The Rev'd Cyril Venables
7:30 p.m.—Evensong
Sermon:
Mr. J. W. B. McPherrin
Thursday, 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion

ST. MARY'S
ELGIN ROAD
The Parish Church of Oak Bay
The Ven. Hywel J. Jones, L.Th., Rector
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:30 a.m.—Family Eucharist
11:00 a.m.—Mattins
Preacher: The Rector
4:00 p.m.—Malvern and Westerham Schools' Carol Service
Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—All Departments Nursery facilities
Thursday
10:30 a.m.—Holy Communion

Church of St. George the Martyr
Cadboro Bay Road and Maynard Street
Charles Bishop, Rector
"Bible Sunday" Advent II
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:30 a.m.—The Young Church and Holy Communion — Confirmation Class and Bible Study
Marlowe Anderson Preaching
11:00 a.m.—Morning Service
Dr. G. H. Dowker Preaching

ST. MATTHIAS'
Richmond at Richardson
Rector
Rev. W. E. Greenhalgh L.Th
Assistant
Rev. David Fuller B.Sc., M.Th.
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
10:30 a.m.—Mattins and Holy Baptism Church School, Nursery
4:00 p.m.—Evensong
7:00 p.m.—Woodwind Trio Recital
Lanny Pollet, Eileen Gibson, Jesse Read
7:30 p.m.—Advent Carol Service
Thursdays:
10:30 a.m.—Holy Communion

ST. BARNABAS'
Belmont and Begbie
7:45 a.m.—Mattins, Holy Communion
9:30 a.m.—Eucharist
10:30 a.m.—Litany, Sung Mass
7:30 p.m.—Solemn Evensong
HOLY COMMUNION DAILY
Rector: Canon B. T. Page, M.A. 384-2978

St. Philip's Church
Neil Street and Eastdowne Road
Rector—Rev. D. Neil Robinson
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:30 a.m.—Family Eucharist
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—Holy Communion

ST. LUKE'S
(Corner Cedar Hill and Cedar Hill X Road)
Rector:
The Venerable C. E. F. Wolff
Organist: Dr. Ian L. Bradley
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—MORNING PRAYER
7:30 p.m.—Evensong

ST. ALBAN'S
Ryan and Belmont
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sunday School
7:30 p.m.—Evensong
Wednesday
9:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
The Rev. F. W. Hayes

Parish of All Saints and St. Columba View Royal
ST. COLUMBA
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer
ALL SAINTS
10:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
Rev. C. E. Lonsdale

ST. DUNSTANS
Tyndall and San Juan St.
8:00 a.m., Holy Communion
9:30 a.m., Family Eucharist
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CHRISTIANITY HANGS ON IN PEKING

PEKING (UPI) — Christianity hangs on in Peking — kept alive by three old men and a woman.

"That is about all there is, really, but it is there," said Barbara Bush, wife of the U.S. envoy to China.

Christianity surfaces for an hour or so on Sundays in a crumbling plaster building about a mile from the forbidden city where Communist party chairman Mao Tse-tung has his seat of atheistic authority.

In this grey-painted, smog-clouded capital, the three old men and woman gather in a former Bible society headquarters, clinging to their faith in spite of intense official opposition.

Books, newspapers, billboards, radios, magazines, movies, plays and operas in this land of 900 million Chinese attack Christianity as well as old Chinese teachings such as the beliefs of the ancient sage Confucius.

The Communist campaign against religion surfaced in what Americans might consider unlikely places during Secretary of State Henry Kissinger's trip to Peking last week.

Strolling in the Chuocheng Gardens of Soochow on Friday, Kissinger stopped to admire 14 young girls singing and dancing in a circle on the grass.

In this land of the work brigade and communal confession, the girls seemed to express a universal innocence and humanity. But the expression suffered in translation.

The girls, whirling with joined hands, sang undeviating party line songs about hating and fighting revisionists, religion and other enemies of the people.

But, still, three old men and a woman muster on Sundays in Peking. One man was a Presbyterian minister before the Communist takeover in 1949. Another was an Episcopal pastor.

"I don't know what the other man was," Mrs. Bush said. "But I do know he is a Protestant, a Christian."

The hard core Chinese faithful—the aged trio and an elderly Peking woman—gather and hold service. Two or three other elderly Chinese Christians come in out of the city of five million non-believers.

They make a service. It is in Chinese. To them come a cluster of foreign diplomats.

"There are Americans and Germans and other Europeans and, importantly, the Africans," Mrs. Bush said. "Credit the Africans. They come most of all."

She said the service is in Chinese, but the hymns are in an assortment of languages. "The song comes in English, in German, and, oh, those wonderful African voices," she said.

And them, after words and music and an hour of prayer, Christianity fades away again in China. No one knows how many more Sundays Christianity will surface in this nation of 900 million.

FATHER MAC is how Monsignor Robert McCarthy is known to about 30,000 carnival workers who call on him to perform marriages, baptisms and hear confessions.

NO HEALING CLAIM FOR SCIENTOLOGY

EDMONTON (CP) — Scientology is a religion that deals with spiritual salvation and offers no claim to healing, Harvey Schmiedeke of Calgary, assistant guardian for the churches of Scientology in Alberta, said Thursday.

Commenting on statements by Dr. David Cook, a University of Alberta professor, which linked scientology with medical quackery, Schmiedeke said in a prepared statement that it is inaccurate to include scientology in the area of quackery.

Dr. Cook, a pharmacologist, told a meeting of senior citizens Nov. 26 that medical quackery was more common today than ever before. He said some doctors, as well as patients, are guilty of believing in remedies for which there is no sound evidence Dr. Cook included megavitamins, herbal medications, patent medicine and scientology in his indictment.

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Computers Used to 'Prove' Hebrews Wasn't St. Paul's

TORONTO (CP) — When Scottish minister Andrew Morton claimed almost 11 years ago to have proven with a computer that St. Paul could not have written any more than five of the 14 epistles attributed to him, the real significance of Mr. Morton's claim was the interest he stimulated in the use of computers to study the Bible.

So says Prof. John Hurd, who teaches a course in computers and Biblical study at Trinity College in Toronto.

"What he (Andrew Morton) said in 1963 wasn't really news," said Prof. Hurd. "Scholars had been saying it for years. Nobody really thought Paul wrote Hebrews and there were many who doubted he wrote Ephesians, Colossians and Second Thessalonians."

More than 100 years ago theologians at Tubingen University in Germany were denounced and their works prohibited by the Roman Catholic Church when they reached similar conclusions, Prof. Hurd said.

In his own study of the epistles, Prof. Hurd used a computer to produce a table measuring the numbers of letters in a word and words in a sentence and showing occurrence of different pairs of letters in the text.

Such studyis based on the assumption that writers can be identified by such word pattern traits as piling up adjectives before nouns or the proportion of long and short sentences, comparable with fingerprints.

But the testing of biblical authenticity should not be based solely on the statistical evidence provided by computers, said Prof. Hurd.

"My own opinion at the moment is that no one test can be completely reliable even with one author. Each one may be useful but an independent author needs an independent examination. Sentence length may be significant for one author but not for another.

"It's always a matter of probability," he said. "The writer may simply have a headache one afternoon and that may change his style. You can't expect the computer alone to make your conclusions."

Prof. Hurd said more New Testament scholars should become familiar with the use of statistical evidence and capable of arguing in statistical terms.

Especially in the area of compilation of synoptic concordances of different books of the Bible, computers are beginning to prove their value to biblical scholars, he said.

For example, a single exhaustive concordance produced in Hebrew for Hosea, Micah and Amos, books which are related historically, is much handier for study purposes than one for the whole Bible.

Prof. Hurd said projects like Mr. Morton's have neither been entirely discarded nor have had any significant impact on the Christian churches. But computers are becoming more useful in improving other methods of study than as study methods in themselves, Mr. Hurd adds.

"In this field, we've just touched the tip of an iceberg or less," he notes.

Choir To Sing Dec. 14

Victorians who want to hear the famed B.C. Boys' Choir will have just one opportunity before Christmas this year.

The choir, which has made three European tours, will sing at Christ Church Cathedral on Dec. 14 at 7:30 p.m.

Three of the 25 singers are from Vancouver Island.

The choir was formed in 1968 and its members range in age from 7 to 22.

Christmas carols will make up part of the performance.

PRE-YULE HYMN SING DECEMBER 8

Victoria's 40-voice Newcombe choir will perform in a pre-Christmas hymn-sing at the Metropolitan United Church Dec. 8.

The service is both for members of the congregation and non-churchgoers who simply enjoy choir music, said a church spokesman.

No service will be involved either before or after the 2:30 p.m. sing-along.

With the choir will be a group called Rainbow, made up of seven young adult singers directed by Greg Davidson.

Member Ejected

QUEBEC (CP) — Gilles Bellemare (Lib-Montreal Rosemont) was ejected from the national assembly Thursday when he refused to remain silent during question period, following a raucus name-calling session involving Justice Minister Jerome Choquette, Robert Burns, Parti Quebecois house leader, and Gerard Cadieux (Lib-Beauharnois). His speaking privileges were withdrawn when he refused to remain silent after rising on a point of privilege.

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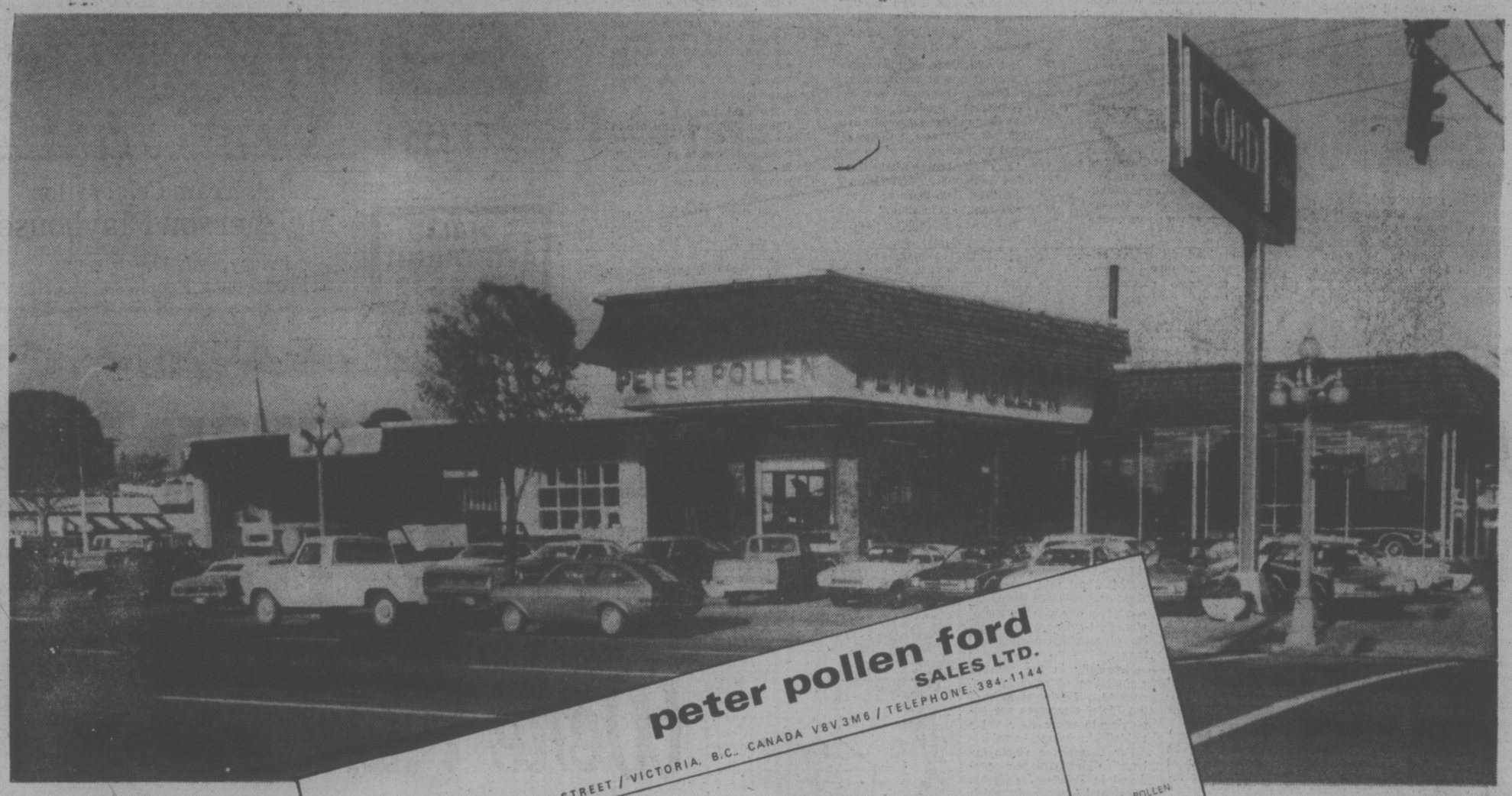

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FOURTH SECTION

Taxes Pay Santa's Plane Fare On Christmas Run to Embassies

PEKING — Santa Claus is on his way to Peking with sackfuls of Christmas parcels and turkeys, courtesy of the Canadian taxpayers.

On Sunday, a four-engined CC-130 Hercules from the Canadian Forces Base at Trenton, Ont., will arrive in the Chinese capital with a bellyful of Christmas cheer for the staff of the Canadian embasy.

The Peking stop is only one on a 25,000-mile "training flight" that has been arranged to suit the Christmas needs of Canadian diplomats and their families around the Pacific basin.

At a cost that is hidden deep in the forces' budget, but which cannot be less than tens of thousands of dollars, the Hercules will deliver a yuletide payload in Japan, Hong Kong, the Philippines, Australia and New Zealand.

By deft management of its training schedule air transport command will be sending similar "resupply flights" to other parts of the world, bringing the elements of a Canadian Christmas to diplomatic and military personnel who must spend the holiday season away from home.

The forces have been flying the Christmas flights for years but it is the first time Peking has been included on the itinerary. Last year the Canadian Forces attache here, Col. David Struthers, persuaded the Chinese to allow an aircraft to offload the Christmas shipment in the southern city of Canton, but the capital remained off limits.

At the weekend the Hercules will fly from Hong Kong to Canton, pick up a Chinese "courtesy crew," continue on to Peking, then return to Hong Kong by the same route — a round trip of 2,500 miles. It will be only the second time a Canadian military aircraft has landed in the Chinese capital, the first having been when Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau flew in aboard a Boeing 707 last year.

The official rationale for the flights is that they give forces aircrews — two complete crews, in the case of the Pacific run — experience in flying unfamiliar routes. This, it is said, is a useful training exercise, preparing the crews for the sort of missions they may be asked to fly in the event of war or civil emergencies abroad.

The rationale is not without merit, but it is one with which embassy personnel themselves seem strangely ill at ease. The two Canadian journalists here are normally appraised in advance of any event of significance in Sino-Canadian relations, but in the case of the Christmas flights, last year and this, there has been something approaching a conspiracy of silence.

In 1973 word was passed around the embassy staff to say nothing to the journalists and one of them might never have learned about it if a senior diplomat's wife had not let it slip at a reception. This year again the flight might have slipped in and out unnoticed if a junior staff member had not inadvertently blown the gaff by complaining that a leg of meat belonging to one of the journalists was occupying space in one of the embassy's freezers that would be needed for the turkeys.

The unease may derive from a fear that taxpayers would find it hard to understand how a government which is forever seeking ways of trimming military expenditures can afford to spend a small fortune on shipping Christmas parcels and turkeys around the world. Related to this is the awkwardness that comes from knowing that, even in Peking, a special flight across the Pacific is hardly essential to an enjoyable Christmas.

The post from Canada to China is reliable and takes only seven to 10 days, even in the Christmas season. As for Turkeys, they are available cheaply in Peking and diplomats who find the local variety too sinewy or too spare can readily acquire them in Hong Kong on one of their government subsidized leaves.

Another factor that may explain the embassy's unease on the matter is the position of other western missions here, including Americans serving at the U.S. liaison office. The Americans and other westerners, having no special Christmas flight, must make their seasonable arrangements as best they may.

This year the Americans procured a supply of succulent turkeys by asking officials to put 200 pounds of them in the freight bay of secretary of state Henry Kissinger's aircraft when he flew in for talks last week. Since Kissinger was coming here anyway there was no extra cost to the U.S. taxpayer — an argument the Canadians could scarcely make for their flight without sounding disingenuous.

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Sports 'Major Industry'

Recreation is one of Canada's major industries, Lloyd Brooks, B.C. deputy minister of recreation and conservation, said Friday.

Brooks, just returned from a conference of provincial recreation ministers in Halifax, said recreation spending in Canada is between $1.5 and $2 billion dollars annually.

"It employs an estimated 750,000 Canadians — and financially affects many others through the construction industry, equipment suppliers, universities, the food and accommodations business," he said.

Brooks said Recreational Minister Jack Radford attended the conference and strongly endorsed the stand taken by Alberta that recreation is a "social utility" and should be planned to ensure that "every Canadian has access to meaningful recreation opportunities."

Radford has left for Europe to study fish and wildlife programs.

"In the interest of national health and other social benefits, recreation should be supported on a broad basis by Ottawa," said Brooks.

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Pilot Error, Board Says

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. national transportation safety board today indicated pilot error was to blame for the Trans World Airlines crash that killed 92 persons Sunday in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia.

In its first major report on the worst U.S. disaster of the year, the board said the pilots of the TWO Boeing 727 descended to an altitude of 1,800 feet in an area where their charts showed the minimum safe altitude was 3,400 feet.

The big airliner flew straight into a mountaintop, killing all 85 passengers and seven crew members aboard.

Canada Elected

UNITED NATIONS (CP) — Canada has been elected to a three - year term on the Economic and Social Council, the 54-member body which co-ordinates UN activities in such fields as economics, development, health, agriculture and social work. Canada received the highest number of ballots in voting for four seats open to the Western group, drawing 129 against 128 for Denmark, 127 for Norway and 121 for the United Kingdom.

Israel's Army 'Watergate'

The Manchester Guardian

JERUSALEM — The Israeli army is facing a shades-of-Watergate affair involving mysterious erasures of tapes and possible falsification of documents relating to the Yom Kippur War.

The commission of inquiry investigating Israel's unpreparedness and early failures in the war may have to defer presenting its final report while it now examines the forgery charge made by Maj. Gen. Shmuel Gomen, who commanded Israeli forces on the southern (Egyptian) front during the war.

The army high command, meanwhile, and senior cabinet ministers are trying to keep the affair within the protected purview of the commission itself and head off press and public inquisitiveness.

Gomen was removed from his post immediately after the war by the then defence minister, Moshe Dayan. He has been on leave since early 1974, when the inquiry commission, in an interim report, recommended that he be suspended from active duty pending its final report.

The five-man commission, headed by the president of the Supreme Court, Shimon Agranat, has spent over a year examining the situation in the army prior to the war and its performance during the first three days of battle.

On the southern front the crucial day from the commission's viewpoint is Monday, Oct. 8, 1973, when an Israeli counterattack against Egyptian forces which had crossed the Suez Canal began well but ended in costly failure.

A division commanded by Maj. Gen. Avraham Adan, who has since become Israel's military attache in Washington, swept southwards from the canalside town of Kantara, seeking put push the Egyptian armor back across the waterway and at the same time relieve beleaguered Israeli positions on the Bar-Lev Line.

The attack was repulsed with heavy losses by Egyptian armor and iinfantry, and the Bar-Lev fortresses were not relieved. Some subsequently surrendered, while the garrisons of others were able to withdraw by night to Israeli lines.

Gomen, determined to clear his name and save his military career, has been conducting his own investigation into what happened during that fateful day.

This week he appealed to the high court for an order requiring the inquiry commission to hear his case and permit him to examine the evidence it has amassed before publishing its final rteport.

The commission has examined the log books of all units involved in the fighting, but Gomen's lawyers alleged that the log book of General Adan's division submitted to the commission was in fact a rewritten and edited version, and they demanded to see the original. They alleged that certain passages had been deleted.

The examination of tape recordings of the orders and responses transmitted between Gomen's headquarters and Adan's forward command post has added to the suspicions. The tapes are blank or inaudible at three crucial junctures. Technical experts have said that one blank was certainly the result of a mechanical erasure, but they cannot say if the erasure was deliberate.

Engagements and Weddings and Anniversaries

Engagements

Yamamoto — Franklin

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eiichi Yamamoto, 253 Hampton Road, Victoria, B.C., are pleased to announce the engagement of their only daughter Marion Aiko, to Mr. Richard John Franklin, eldest son of Mr. John A. Franklin of Victoria and of Mrs. Anne Best of Campbell River, B.C.

The wedding will take place Saturday, December 28, 1974, in St. Martin in the Fields Anglican Church, Reverend T. Williams officiating.

Haggart — Sluggett

Mr. and Mrs. G. James Haggart, 4463 Wilkinson Road, Victoria, B.C., are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Margaret Rosemary, to Murray MacFarlane Sluggett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sluggett, 6881 W. Saanich Road, Brentwood Bay, B.C.

The wedding will take place January 3, 1975 at 7:30 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church, 4040 Nelthorpe St., Victoria, Father D. Lehane officiating.

Paul — Davies

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford James Paul of Swift Current, Saskatchewan, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Fern, to Mr. Allan Morton Davies, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan M. Davies of Oakville, Ontario.

The wedding will take place in July, 1975 in Swift Current, Saskatchewan.

Weddings

Dupuis — Williams

St. Patrick's Parish of Victoria was the scene of a pretty wedding at 7 p.m. on Saturday, November 9, 1974, when Judith Ann, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Williams, became the bride of Leonard Henry Dupuis, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Dupuis. The saying of their vows were solemnized by Father Jackson.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was radiant in a beautiful candlelight floor-length gown of sata-peau with an overlay of white imported Chantilly lace. The back of the waist was softly gathered and the skirt flowed into a sweeping cathedral train. A deep flounce of sata-peau edged her long sleeves and train. Her shoulder-length veil of candlelight illusion tulle fell from a bonnet of matching lace. She carried a bouquet of red roses. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Deborah Guy, as Maid of Honour. She wore a floor-length gown of royal blue velvet, featuring a chapel-length train and long sleeves, both edged with white maribou feathers. She carried a matching white muff adorned with Royal blue flowers and white ribbons to complement her dress. Mrs. Brenda Hammond, cousin of the bride, and Mrs. Shirley Eike, were bridesmaids. They wore turquoise velvet gowns identical to the Maid of Honour and carried white muffs with turquoise flowers and white ribbons. Two little flower girls, Nicole Williams, niece of the bride, and Tanya Scheffer, niece of the groom, were captivating in identical floor-length gowns of turquoise velvet featuring cap sleeves trimmed with lace and matching lace around the neck. They carried small white baskets filled with turquoise and white flowers. Mr. Raymond Turlock, cousin of the groom, attended as best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Brian Davies and John Croucher.

A reception followed at the Carlton Club with Mr. Jim Clements as Master of Ceremonies. Mr. Don Schleen proposed the toast to the bride.

After the reception the young couple left on a honeymoon to Disneyland, San Diego and points of interest along the way.

Carmichael — Sorensen

Hope Lutheran Church was the scene of a lovely wedding which took place October 12, 1974, when Reverend Lester M. Carlsen united in marriage Bonnie Ingrid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vagn Sorensen, Victoria, and Duncan Ernest (Bud) Carmichael, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Carmichael, Burnaby, B.C.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was radiant in her classic gown of polyester silk and Swiss Guipure lace. The beautiful lace edged the high collar and adorned the empire waist and long fitted sleeves with their flared cuffs. Appliques of lace flowers were also repeated on the gown's long skirt which featured a deep flounce that swept into a cathedral train at back. A medieval capulet of Guipure lace held a waist length veil of illusion tulle. She carried a cascade of white crystal mums, yellow roses, stephanotis and ivy. Her attendants, Beverly Mantler, Gail Shedden and Linda Murray, all wore identical floor length gowns in pale green flocked nylon and carried bouquets of yellow and white crystal mums. The groom's best man was Al Urquhart, and ushers were Gary Sorensen and Stephen Carmichael, brothers of the bride and groom.

Reception followed at the Holyrood House. The bride's godfather, Mr. E. Norgaard proposed the toast to the bride. A garland of yellow and white crystal mums circled the three-tier wedding cake which was beautifully decorated in yellow and white and topped with two white doves. The bride's going-away outfit was a gold suede dress with rust accessories, a corsage of yellow roses beautifully matched. The happy couple left on their honeymoon trip to Hawaii.

The newlywed Carmichaels are now residing in Burnaby.

Out-of-town guests included the groom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Carmichael of Toronto, and Mrs. S. Lamb of Burnaby, friends and relatives from Toronto, Greater Vancouver and Vancouver Island.

Lawson — Pollock

A late summer evening graced the garden setting of the marriage between Ellen Louise Pollock and Kenneth Craig Lawson on August 31, 1974, at Victoria Truth Centre. The Reverend Dr. Emma M. Smiley conducted the ceremony uniting the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Pollock and the son of Mr. K. C. Lawson.

The bride was attended by Marvellen McKecknie as matron of honor, and Ellen's sister Catherine, and the groom's sister Sharon, as bridesmaids. The attendants wore simple floor-length gowns of varying shades of blue, and tartan sashes fastened at the shoulder with traditional Scottish brooches, gifts of the bride. Their cascading bouquets were pink roses, purple heather and ivy, and they wore circlets of the same in their hair. The bride's gown was composed of wide bands of bias cut white satin and crepe encircling alternately from the rounded neckline and cap sleeves to full circle at floor length. Her Holland lace veil and full train was held in place by a diamante coronet. The bridal bouquet was a cascade of red roses, white heather and ivy. David Pollock assisted the guests to their chairs.

On the arm of her father, the bride and attendants were led by Piper Captain George Ogilvie, to stand beside the groom and his best man, Mr. James Fowles. Standard baskets of pink and white chrysanthemums and heather were placed on each side of the fir tree under which the vows of the young couple were witnessed by relatives and friends. During the signing of the Register, Captain Ogilvie piped traditional Scottish airs.

A reception following the ceremony was held at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel. The toast to the bride was given by Mr. Hugh Kelso. Telegrams of congratulations from Scotland and Eastern Canada were read by Jim Fowles. The wedding cake was cut with Capt. Ogilvie's Claymore.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: the bride's great-uncle Mr. K. A. Waites from Texada Island, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hill and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Dyde, all of Tsawwassen.

Mrs. Lawson chose a green tweed pantsuit with rust hat and accessories for the honeymoon trip. Her corsage was white heather. The young couple have returned to live in Victoria after an extended vacation abroad.

Vallor — Wallace

Reverend Albert E. King officiated at a double ring ceremony at Metropolitan United Church, Victoria, B.C. on September 20th, 1974, at 7 p.m. when Linda Gail, daughter of Mr. Doug Wallace of Winnipeg, Manitoba, and Joan Wallace, Victoria, B.C., exchanged wedding vows with Bruce Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Vallor, of Courtenay, B.C.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white jersey trimmed with tiny pearls. The gown was enhanced by a chapel length veil edged in rows of lace. The matron of honour Mrs. Diane Earle and bridesmaid Miss Maureen Fraser wore identical gowns of red jersey accented with wide white collars. The wedding flowers were arrangements of red and white glads, mums and carnations. The bride carried a bouquet of white decorative and red roses trimmed in stephanotis and ivy. Mr. Louie Reda attended as best man and Mr. Lyall Vallor as usher.

Meyer — Ross

Mr. and Mrs. Cec. Ross, 3165 Donald Street, are pleased to announce the wedding of thier youngest daughter Donna, on November 19th, 1974, to Mr. Karl Meyer, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Heinz Meyer, 912 Dale St.

A family dinner was enjoyed after the service, followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Black, bride's sister and brother-in-law, who attended the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Meyer are making their home in Victoria.

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1 BIRTHS

CRAWLEY — Kit and Erin (nee McMartin) are very happy to announce the birth of Aleta, a 7 lb. 7½ oz. girl, on November 2nd, 1974. Many thanks to Dr. Jean Izatt, Mrs. Chambers and all the staff at Resthaven Hospital. Thanks also to Nora Lavoie, the grandmothers and all the wonderful others who helped us so much.

HOLLAND—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Holland, 4031 Saanich Rd., Victoria, B.C., at Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 5, 1974, a daughter, Melody Joy, 7 lbs. 2 oz. Thanks to Dr. J. Morrison and Hospital staff.

MALONEY — Born to Michael and Darla in North Cowichan General Hospital on November 21st, a son Ryan Michael, 8 lbs. 9 ozs. A brother for Vanya. First Grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ware and Mr. and Mrs. James Maloney of Victoria.

MONTGOMERY — Born to Paul and Bernice at Fort Nelson, B.C., on December 5, 1974, a daughter Kathryn Neil, a sister for John.

SOUKA—Born to Gordon and Linda Souka, 2678 Sooke Rd., at Victoria General on November 30, 1974, a girl, Shelly Lynn, 8 pounds 5½ ozs. Many thanks to Dr. B. S. Pound and staff. Insured.

VICKERS—Neil and Jo-Anne happily announce the arrival of Christa's brother Graham Hedley on November 29, 1974, at Victoria General Hospital. Thanks to Doctors Jack Morrison, Gilbert Chew and Maternity staff.

5 DEATHS and FUNERALS

BROWN — In Victoria on December 6, 1974, Anna Brown of 2725 Dewdney Ave., born in Almonte, Ontario, resident here since 1947, formerly of Montreal. Widow of Walter Lorne Brown. She leaves her niece and nephew, Yvonne and Fred Greenshields of Victoria; a niece, Mrs. S. B. Fulton of Vancouver; other nieces, nephews and other relatives.
Private funeral serivce in McCall Bros. FAMILY CHAPEL on Tuesday, Dec. 10 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park. (Flowers gratefully declined.).

DENNY — In Victoria on December 6, 1974, Roletta May Denny (nee Grant) aged 94 years. Widow of Arthur S. Denny, a pioneer resident of Victoria for over 60 years. She is survived by 2 sons, Tom and Roy of Victoria; 1 daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Stenner of Victoria; 11 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; 4 brothers, William Grant of Victoria, Hiram Grant in California, Allison Grant of Vancouver and Frank Grant of Salt Spring Island; 5 sisters, Mrs. Sadie Clarke of Victoria, Mrs. M. Middleton of Vancouver, Miss Gertude Grant of Victoria, Miss Ella Grant of Vancouver and Mrs. Ida Coulter of Victoria; many nieces and nephews.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Monday, Dec. 9 at 3:00 p.m. with the Venerable Archdeacon H. J. Jones officiating, followed by cremation.

GRAY—On December 5 1974, Miss Hilda Marian Gray, aged 83 years of 1663 Oak Bay Avenue. She leaves to mourn her passing one brother, James L. Gray, Royal Oak; 2 sisters, Mrs. H. H. (Stella I.) Martin of Sidney, B.C., and Mrs. Sylvia Thornsteinson, Beardmore, Ontario. Funeral services will be held on Monday, December 9, 1974, at 2:00 p.m. Archdeacon A. E. Hendy officiating followed by cremation. HAYWARD'S CHAPEL, 734 Broughton Street.

HENDERSON CONWAY DRUMMOND — In Victoria, B.C. on December 3rd, 1974, Born in Westmount, P.Q. age 75 years. Mr. Henderson was a graduate of McGill University, and an employee of Sun Life Insurance Co. for 45 years, retiring to Victoria. He is survived by a sister Thelma Maunder in England, two cousins, Grace and Marjorie Walkinshaw in Quebec, also many friends.
Funeral service will be held on Monday, December 9th, 1974 at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel of First Memorial, 4725 Falaise Dr. Dr. Padre D. Kendell officiating. (cremation). Arrangements by the Memorial Society of B.C. and FIRST MEMORIAL SERVICES LTD.

McINTOSH — Fern Loraine McIntosh on December 1, 1974, at Holy Family Hospital, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan of B1-2333 Beach Drive, Victoria, formerly of Prince Albert, Sask., born in Iowa, U.S.A., November 17, 1914. Survived by her husband Roland; 1 daughter, Mrs. Elton (Jean) Kydd; 1 granddaughter, Leslie Loraine; 1 grandson, Christopher John; also three sisters, Mrs. Loule (Mamie) Mason of Lasalle, Illinois, Mrs. C. H. (Shirley) Rogden of Sun City, Arizona and Mrs. Lillian Carlberg of Fillmore, Sask.; four brothers, Howard and Les Driver of Lasalle, Ill., Walter Driver of Benecia, California and Emry Driver of Fillmore, Sask.
The funeral service was held in McCall Bros. Chapel on Thursday, Dec. 5 with the Rev. J. Travis officiating. Mr. Barry Grimshaw sang "How Great Thou Art" as a solo. Interment was at Royal Oak Burial Park and Messrs. George Goy, Norman Featherstone, Joe Dunbeck, Barry Grimshaw, Bob Rankin and Emmett Farnham as active pallbearers. Messrs. Ray Slough, Wynne Eland, Dennis Downing, Gerald Smith and James Parry were honorary pallbearers. (Flowers were gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Cancer Society, 857 Caledonia Ave.)

McLELLAN — At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 5th, 1974 after a lengthy illness, Dagny Hillivi, beloved wife of Alexander Flint McLellan M.B.E. Resident of 1277 Downham Pl., Victoria. Born in Sweden, May 17, 1905 and a resident of Winnipeg from 1923-1968. Besides her husband she leaves 4 daughters, Mrs. T. M. (Doris) Dougall of Calgary, Shirley Osborne in California, Mrs. A. A. (Jacqueline) Lubimivi of Kingston, Mrs. G. (Signe) Llewellyn of Vancouver, one son Alexander F. in Winnipeg, 26 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Monday, December 9th at 2 a.m. in the THOMSON and IRVING Funeral Chapel. Pastor Alfred J. C. Johnson officiating. Interment will take place in the St. Johns Cemetery, Winnipeg, Man. on Wednesday, December 11. Flowers gratefully declined. Donations to the Canadain Cancer Society, Wpg. or Victoria, would be appreciated.

MORLEY — At the residence, 2803 Admirals Rd., on December 3, 1974, Mrs. Mary Morley, resident in Victoria for 26 years, formerly of Winnipeg. She is survived by her daughter Vida and son Clare of Victoria; five grandsons and a great-granddaughter; her sister, Mrs. Lillian Piercy of Vancouver; nieces and nephews.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Tuesday, Dec. 10 at 1:00 p.m. with the Rev. Canon R. Wills officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

RANDALL — In Sidney, B.C. on December 4th, 1974, Mrs. Isabella Ruth Randall of 1236 Lands End Road, Sidney, B.C., formerly of 1146 Old Esquimalt Road. Predeceased by her husband, George, in 1970 and son, Walter, lost at sea in 1945. Survived by daughter and son-in-law, Marjory and Bob Shade, Sidney, B.C., grandchildren, Linda and David Grist, Marilyn, Gary and Patrick Shade, 3 great-grandchildren all of Sidney, B.C., sisters, Mrs. H. Smith, Florida, Mrs. V. Wood, Michigan, brothers, Max Gordanier, Florida and Bob Gordanier, Michigan; niece, Mrs. D. Randall and family, Victoria, B.C. also nieces, nephews and cousins in Ontario, Michigan, California and Arizona. The late Mrs. Randall was Past Worthy H.P. of Nazarine Shrine No. 1, White Shrine of Jerusalem; Past Matron — Order of Amaranth; Past Worthy Master of Victoria Lodge No. 124 Order of Women's Free Masons; member of Victory Temple No. 36, Pythian Sisters.
Private service will be held in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Roses, Sidney, B.C. on Monday December 9th, 1974 at 3:00 p.m. Rev. Robert A. Sansom officiating. Cremation. Flowers gratefully declined. Those so desiring may contribute to the B.C. Heart Foundation, 402-612 View Street, Victoria, B.C.

SANDS — SIDNEY

SCHOFIELD — Dr. Robert In Brentwood Bay, B.C. on December 6th, 1974, age 74 years. Born in England, Dr. Schofield practised medicine in Alberta Hospital Ponoka, from 1953 until his retirment. He is survived by his loving wife Doris, a son Robert, a daughter Mrs. Fay McLintock, and four grandchildren all of the Saanich Peninsula, also a sister Margaret of England.
Private family service in the Chapel of First Memorial. Arrangemests by the Memorial Society of B.C. and FIRST MEMORIAL SERVICES LTD.

TALBOT — In Victoria on December 5, 1974, Edward James Talbot aged 66 years of 3868 Shelbourne St., born in Balgonie, Sask., resident here since 1939. He is survived by his wife May Vera; 6 step-daughters; his mother, Mrs. Catherine Talbot of Victoria; 2 sisters, Violet Brown of Victoria and Dorothy McGowan of Port Alberni; 2 brothers, Walter and David of Victoria; nieces and nephews. He was a member of the Provincial Retired Civil Servant's Association and has been a gardener at the Parliament Buildings for many years.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Monday, Dec. 9 at 1:00 p.m. followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.)

8 CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all our good friends and relatives that have helped us through our recent difficult loss of our son Kim. A special thanks to Rev. A. Kerr and all the young people who were such good friends of Kim's.—Mr. and Mrs. Ron Price.

9 IN MEMORIAM

STEWART—In loving memory of my dear husband, John Stewart, father and grandfather, who passed away December 7th, 1972.

When the weary ones we love
Enter on their rest above—
Seems the earth so poor and vast?—
All our life-joy overcast?
Hush! Be every murmer dumb:
It is only "TILL HE COME!"

Clouds and conflicts round us press
Would we have one sorrow less?
All the sharpness of the cross,
All that tells the world is loss—
Death, and darkness, and the tomb—
Pain ... only "TILL HE COME!"

—Sadly missed by his wife May and family, John, Margaret, Phyllis, Robin, Jeanie and Angus.

THEY SHALL GROW NOT OLD, AS WE WHO ARE LEFT GROW OLD. AGE SHALL NOT WEARY THEM, NOR THE YEARS CONDEMN. AT THE GOING DOWN OF THE SUN, AND IN THE MORNING, WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.
—WITH GRATITUDE, SANDS.

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TALBOT, Mr. Edward James
1:00 p.m.—FLORAL CHAPEL
LaPLANTE, Mr. Arthur Douglas
2:00 p.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL
DENNY, Mrs. Roletta May
3:00 p.m.—FLORAL CHAPEL
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1:00 p.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL
MORLEY, Mrs. Mary
1:00 p.m.—FLORAL CHAPEL
PRIVATE SERVICE
BROWN, Mrs. Anna
2:00 p.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL

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CRAIGDARROCH CASTLE
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VANCOUVER ISLAND KIDNEY Patients Association, (Royal Jubilee) Nov. 30 raffle ticket winners: 1st prize, Nada Manhas, 2nd Win Crothall, 3rd R. Bridenshiem, 4th J. Morrison, 5th R. Manhas.

15 COMING EVENTS and MEETINGS

FLEA MARKET, SANSCHA Hall, Beacon Ave., Sidney, Sunday, December 8, 1:30 - 4 p.m.

15 COMING EVENTS and MEETINGS

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BINGO
EVERY SUNDAY
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CANADIAN LEGION
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NO GAME UNDER $20
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SECOND JACKPOT $100
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OR
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SAT., DEC. 7, — 7:15 P.M.
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6 CARDS $2
EXTRA 5 GAMES
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ESQUIMALT LEGION
Sunday, Dec. 8.
1974 — 1 p.m.
20 Games — $1.00 Admission
Extra Cards 25c each
6 cards $2.00
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6 cards — $2
Extra cards 25c
Everyone Welcome

THE BOILERS BENEVOLENT Committee Grey Cup Football Raffle Winners: Richard Belden, Fakari Saarikettu, Ina McMillan. The committee takes this opportunity to thank all those people who supported the Raffle by purchasing tickets and wishes everyone the Compliments of The Season.

"THE LADIES' AUXILIARY Branch No. 172 Royal Canadian Legion, will hold a Christmas Wine and Cheese Party, on Saturday, December 7, 1974 from 4 p.m. to 8 pm. in the Board Room of the Branch, 622 Admirals Road. Admission $2.00 per person or $3.00 a couple."

SMOKERS
The Hammond Smoking Cessation group meets every Monday 8 p.m. YM-YWCA using Smoke Watchers method of gradual withdrawal. Pleasant, effective, inexpensive. 383-5511 days, 383-6914 evenings, or information and registration.

SOUTH SAANIH WOMEN'S INstitute Annual Christmas Turkey 500 Card Party, Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, Friday, Dec. 13, 8 p.m. Turkey Prizes, raffles, door prize. Refreshments.

CROATIAN SOCIETY "IVAN Mestrovic" invites you to "New Years Eve Dance" at Cedar Hill Centre, 3220 Cedar Hill Rd. For information call 382-0714 or 383-1212 between 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

OLD TIME DANCE
Saint Alban's Church Hall, Ryan Street at Belmont. Saturdays 9-12, $1.50. Columbian Orchestra (formerly of Lake Hill).

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Leaves V.I. Coach Lines depot every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Rtn 6 p.m., $4.50 includes tea, 385-4411.

ALL - SOOKE ARTS AND CRAFTS Association Christmas Show and Sale, Sunday, December 8, 2 - 8 p.m., Legion Hall, Sooke.

CHRISTMAS BINGO. PROSPECT Lake Community Hall. Saturday, Dec. 7 sold out.

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20 LOST and FOUND

LOST: MONDAY NIGHT IN Glen Lake area, female sealpoint Siamese cat. Please if any one has seen or has her phone 478-2689 daytime, 478-8638 after 5:30.

LOST: 8 MONTH FEMALE SIAmese-Burmese cat, Fernwood and Gladstone area. Blue collar, identity tag, dark patch on left flank, 386-8608.

LOST: ORNATE SILVER WATCH, antique appearance, with wide bracelet strap, reward. 592-1583, 388-5145.

LOST—BLACK AND WHITE short haired female cat, Hillside and Cedar Hill Rd. area, phone 384-2383 after 5 p.m.

LOST: SMALL FRIENDLY black shaggy male dog, white on chest, from Maplewood - Tattersall area. 382-1989.

LOST: 3-YEAR-OLD MALE SAmoyed dog in Langford-Colwood area. Answers to name "Taku". 478-6570. Reward.

LOST: ONE BOOK, TITLE "THE ART AND SCIENCE OF IRIDOLOGY," reward. Ridgley. 477-1995.

LOST: BACK LEATHER COAT, at P.O.'s Mess, Naden. Reward. 382-9187.

LOST: "PETER," MALE SIAmese, from Fairfield, 385-3601 after 5 p.m. please.

LOST: WEDDING BAND, IDENTified by inscription inside. Please phone: 479-4227 or 598-4817.

LOST: AMETHYST RING, MODern setting, sentimental value, reward, 479-1302.

FOUND: ALL BLACK FEMALE cat, Mt. Douglas. Animal's Crusaders 386-9832.

LOST: BLACK WALLET, CONtaining identification. Malahat area. 478-7856 or 658-8624.

LOST: ENGAGEMENT RING, in or near Empress Hotel, reward. 479-4528

20 LOST and FOUND

LOST: FROM THE 900 BLOCK Caledonia Ave. Blue Point Siamese, Male cat. 3 years. Possibly going back to Langford. Phone daytimes 383-9880, evenings and weekends 478-1655.

LOST DEC. 5, BOYS' NEW 10-speed BRC, serial number 251548, aqua green, black tape on handles, from S. J. Willis' School, reward. 388-4550.

FOUND — DARK GREY POODle, long tail, female, 592-6263.

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13138-88th Street,
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COMMUNITY WORKER
Community worker needed to assist the Saanich Peninsula Resources Society in identifying and co-ordinating social service projects for this area. Knowledge of the Saanich Peninsula essential. Knowledge of the various community organizations helpful. Salary negotiable, for further details, phone our chairman, Tom Rostas, 656-6062.

STOCK ROOM AND MERCHANdising manager required to receive, price, distribute and display merchandise in an independently owned local retail pharmacy. Preference given to an ambitious person desiring a merchandising career. Previous experience not essential. Reply Victoria Press Box 324.

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GOING THROUGH EDMONTON with small truck or van? Have baby items to go. Make money on your trip. 477-1902.

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ACTORS, ACTRESSES WITH specialized training required for I.I.P. Project. Immediate start. Apply Canada Manpower.

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21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

DRAUGHTING OPPORTUNITIES VICTORIA

These positions are open to both men and women.
Salaries quoted are 1973 rates.

FOREST SERVICE
Competition No. 74:3372.
In the Inventory Division, to be responsible, under direction, for preparing final forest cover map drawings by volume adjustment surveys from field notes, official plans and other basic data; to interpret and plot planimetric detail and forest cover information from vertical air photos by use of kail plotter and epidiascope; to prepare status maps from Land ledger records; to handle other related work as required. Requires excellent eyesight and stereoscopic perception; a minimum of five years' experience in the special type of draughting required.
SALARY — $702-$837.

HIGHWAYS
Competition No. 74:3348.
A Transportation Draughtsman-Woman is required immediately in the Planning Branch, to prepare graphics and presentations of traffic survey data and transportation networks, including drawings, charts, diagrams and moslacs; to use a pantograph and other draughting instruments and make simple calculations as required; to act as a liaison with other Branches where maps and composites are prepared and advise technical and professional staff on the availability of such data; other related duties. Requires a minimum of two years' draughting experience with at least one year in related work.
SALARY — $614-$727.

Candidates for the above positions require Secondary School graduation, preferably including Mathematics 12 and specializing in draughting subjects; OR, completion of a recognized post-Secondary vocational course in the type of draughting required; a good knowledge of all draughting techniques.

Obtain applications from the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 544 Michigan Street, Victoria, V8V 1S3 (or the nearest Government Agent) and return to VICTORIA by December 18, 1974.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA requires
CO-ORDINATOR RESCUE TRAINING MINES
PRINCE GEORGE
The Department of Mines has an immediate opening for a qualified person in the Inspection Division to be responsible, under direction, for a Rescue Station or Mobile Rescue Unit. Will be required to conduct training in mine rescue, first-aid, and other rescue courses; to check and service all rescue apparatus and resuscitation equipment and to inspect and advise on first-aid and mine rescue requirements; when required, to organize mine rescue crews and assist in rescue operations; to maintain required records and perform other related duties. Requires Secondary School Graduation, or equivalent, an Instructor's Certificate in First-Aid, plus a Mine Rescue Certificate; also, a Fireboss or Shiftboss Certificate or qualifications leading to same; extensive and progressively responsible experience underground in either open-pit coal or metal mines and at least five years' experience in mine rescue and first-aid work.
SALARY: (1973 rate) $807-$974.
Obtain applications from the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 544 Michigan Street, Victoria, V8V 1S3, OR, Regional Representative, Public Service Commission, 1488 Fourth Avenue, Prince George, and return to PRINCE GEORGE by December 24, 1974.
COMPETITION No. 75:8.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA requires
PARK TECHNICIAN
(Temporary)
MOUNT ROBSON
The Department of Recreation and Conservation has an opportunity for a qualified person to be employed in the Park Area until approximately March 31, 1975. Under direction, to be responsible for the supervision and maintenance of the park and on a maintenance program in the off-season; other related duties as directed. Requires, preferably Secondary School graduation and graduation from a recognized institute of technology in a related discipline; OR, an acceptable combination of education, knowledge and experience; several years' related experience or equivalent.
SALARY — (1973 rates) — $779-$936.
Obtain applications from the PUBLIC S

22 OFFICE HELP

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
urgently requires
KEYPUNCH OPERATORS
MEDICAL SERVICES PLAN
VICTORIA

Experienced persons are required for both

DAY SHIFT — 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., and NIGHT SHIFT — 4:30 p.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Requires one year's experience and pass test at 9,000 strokes-hour.

SALARY — $4.37-hour, plus differential for night shift.

Apply IN PERSON IMMEDIATELY to Room 210, BURNES HOUSE, BASTION SQUARE. COMPETITION NO. 75:79.

EXPERIENCED SECRETARY for congenial Real Estate Appraisal firm locating in Town and Country area. No shorthand required, but accurate typing essential. Must also enjoy answering phone and office inquiries. Phone Collect 753-3428 Nanaimo.

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23 SKILLED TRADES

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SCAFFOLDER HOIST OPERATOR
VICTORIA

The Department of Public Works, Provincial Government, requires a qualified person to be responsible, under direction, for erecting a variety of standard scaffolds in accordance with Workers' Compensation Board regulations; also, to operate, maintain and repair various types of construction lifting devices. Requires a minimum of Grade 10 education and a broad knowledge of load and stress factors for simple lifting equipment and scaffolding; a good knowledge of the related Workers' Compensation Board safety regulations.
SALARY — 1973 rate) — $805.
Obtain applications from the Personnel Office, Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, VICTORIA, V8V 2M3 and return by December 20, 1974.
COMPETITION NO. P.W. 74:77.

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STEREO TECHNICIAN
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24 SALES PERSONS AND AGENTS

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SALESPERSON
Required by our construction company to sell new homes. We have homes near completion and ready to be sold, others under construction in various stages plus more to follow. The above position suitable to a person with or without experience (but must have experience in a closely related field). Preference would be given to a married person in need of good earning, with good academic standards and good family status. We offer security and expert help for the start of the willing-to-work applicant. Send your resume to Victoria Press Box 212.

OPPORTUNITY
We are looking for potential sales personnel — men and women — not high pressure, but rather an earnest person who will welcome a permanent position. Guaranteed salary up to $1,500 per month if you meet the requirements, plus benefits and a training program will be given to the right person. Perhaps you have been thinking of making a change. We are starting a new training program and looking for three persons this month. Reply by letter giving complete information. All replies strictly confidential. Victoria Press, Box 298.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE
For the right person who is a self-starter and likes meeting people, a position is available leading to sales representative for a Vancouver Island Ready Mix Concrete and Aggregate Company. Some previous sales experience is desireable but not essential. Applications in own handwriting stating education completed and related information to Victoria Press Box 319.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY
DISTRICT SALESMAN
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25 TEACHERS

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CO-OP PRE-SCHOOL SUPERvisor, Gordon Head area. 3-year-olds program. Tuesdays-Thursdays. Applicants must be registered with Community Care. For application forms, phone 477-5213 or 477-8141 after 1 p.m.

26 PART TIME OR TEMPORARY HELP

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SATURDAY EVENING

6 P.M.
2—Hockey continued
4—Sports continued
5—News
6—Hockey continued
7—Movie: Journey to the Far Side of the Sun
8—Wrestling
9—Zoom
11—Star Trek
12—News
13—Wrestling

6:30 P.M.
2—Hockey continued
4—News
5—How Come?
6—Hockey continued
7—Movie continued
8—Wrestling
9—Washington Week
11—Star Trek continued
12—Page 12
13—Wrestling

7 P.M.
2—Hockey continued
4—Lawrence Welk
5—Truth or Consequences
6—Hockey continued
7—Movie continued
8—Out To Lunch—Special
9—Evening At Pops
11—Mission Impossible
12—Channel 12 Special
13—Boxing

7:30 P.M.
2—Ceilidh
4—Lawrence Welk
5—Let's Make a Deal
6—Ceilidh
8—Special continued
9—Pops continued
11—Mission Impossible continued
12—Hollywood Squares
13—Boxing

8 P.M.
2—Maude
4—Cartoon Special
5—Emergency
6—Good Times
7—All In The Family
8—Kung Fu
9—TBA
11—NBA: Seattle at Oakland
12—All In The Family
13—Soul Train

8:30 P.M.
2—News
4—Movie: The Point
5—Emergency continued
6—Movie: Private Life of Sherlock Holmes
7—New Candid Camera
8—Kung Fu continued
9—Movie: Our Dancing Daughters
11—Basketball continued
12—World At War
13—Soul Train

9 P.M.
2—Movie: Sound of Anger
4—Movie continued
5—Movie: My Fair Lady (Part I)
6—Movie continued
7—Mary Tyler Moore
8—Movie: Funny Girl
9—Movie continued
11—Basketball continued
12—World at War continued
13—Movie: Phantom from Space

9:30 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Movie continued
5—Movie continued
6—Movie continued
7—Bob Newhart
8—Movie continued
9—Movie continued
11—Basketball continued
12—Bob Newhart
13—Movie continued

10 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Nakia
5—Movie continued
6—Movie continued
7—Carol Burnett
8—Movie continued
9—Movie continued
11—Basketball continued
12—Carol Burnett
13—Movie continued

10:30 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Nikia continued
5—Movie continued
6—Movie continued
7—Carol Burnett continued
8—Movie continued
9—Movie continued
11—Basketball continued
12—Carol Brunett continued
13—Movie continued

11 P.M.
2—News
4—News
5—Movie: Arrivederci, Baby (11:15)
6—Movie: Funny Girl (11:20)
7—Movie: The Carey Treatment
8—News
9—Roads to Freedom
11—Movie: Black Gold
12—Dragnet
13—Movie: Incredible Shrinking Man

11:30 P.M.
2—Noel Harrison (11:45)
4—News
5—Movie continued
6—Movie continued
7—Movie continued
8—Movie continued
9—Movie continued
11—Movie continued
12—Movie: From the Terrace
13—Movie continued

12 MIDNIGHT
2—Movin' On (12:15)
4—Movie: Sundown
5—Movie continued
6—Movie continued
7—Movie continued
8—Movie continued
11—Movie continued
12—Movie continued
13—Movie continued

12:30 a.m.
2—Barbara Frum (1:15)
4—Movie continued
5—Movie continued
6—Movie Wilson (2:20)
7—Rock Concert (1:00)
8—Movie: Change of Habit
12—Movie continued
13—Movie: College Holiday (1:00)

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SUNDAY MORNING

8 A.M.
2—French Program
4—Cleophus Robinson
5—Eucharist for Shut-ins
6—Rex Humbard
7—Day of Discovery
8—Rex Humbard
11—Jim Swaggart
12—Day of Discovery

8:30 A.M.
2—French Program
4—Agriculture U.S.A.
5—Gardening
6—Rex Humbard
7—Oral Roberts
8—Rex Humbard
11—Religious Program
12—Rev. Max Solbrekken

9 A.M.
2—Meeting Place
4—Jabberwocky
5—Week in the NFL
6—Day of Discovery
7—It Is Written
8—Grassroots
11—Trans-World Missions
12—Anchor

9:30 A.M.
2—Meeting Place continued
4—Vision On
5—Week in the NFL
6—Grassroots
7—NFL Pre-Game Show
8—Homer James
11—Day of Miracles
12—NFL Pre-Game Show

10 A.M.
2—NFL: Steelers vs. Patriots
4—Vision On continued
5—NFL: Buffalo at New YorK
6—Oral Roberts
7—NFL: Lions vs. Bengals
8—Oral Roberts
11—Lifestyle '74
12—NFL: Lions vs. Bengals

10:30 A.M.
2—Football continued
4—Lassie's Rescue Rangers
5—Football continued
6—World of Travel
7—Football continued
8—Album TV
11—Hour of Power
12—Football continued

11 A.M.
2—Football continued
4—Make a Wish
5—Football continued
6—Garter Ted Armstrong
7—Football continued
8—Garter Ted Armstrong
11—My Favorite Martian
12—Football continued

12 NOON
2—Football continued
4—College Football Highlights
5—Football continued
6—Sports Review
7—Football continued
8—Good News
11—Nashville Music
12—Football continued
13—Wanderlust

12:30 P.M.
2—Sportsweek
4—Highlights continued
5—Football continued
6—I Believe in Miracles
7—Football continued
8—Journal International
11—Rex Humbard
12—Football continued

SUNDAY EVENING

1 P.M.
2—Sunday Matinee
4—Democratic Mini-Convention
5—NFL: Raiders vs. Chiefs
6—Country Way
7—NFL: Post-Game Show
8—Country Way
11—Rex Humbard
12—Movie: The Daydreamer
13—Roller Games

1:30 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Issues and Answers
5—Football continued
6—Homer James
7—NBA: Kansas City at Detroit
8—Star Trek
11—I Believe in Miracles
12—Movie continued
13—Wanderlust

2 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Impact
5—Football continued
6—Canadian West
7—Basketball continued
8—Star Trek continued
11—Voice of Calvary
12—Football continued
13—College Basketball

2:30 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Movie: Air Raid Wardens
5—Football continued
6—Movie: The Affair
7—Basketball continued
8—Movie: The Affair
11—Movie: Lost Planet Airmen
12—Movie: The Green Man
13—Basketball continued

3 P.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Movie continued
5—Football continued
6—Movie continued
7—Basketball continued
8—Movie continued
11—Movie continued
12—Movie continued
13—Basketball continued

3:30 P.M.
2—Gardening (3:45)
4—Movie continued
5—Football continued
6—Movie continued
7—Basketball continued
8—Movie continued
9—Villa Alegre
11—Movie continued
12—Movie continued
13—Other People — Places

4 P.M.
2—Payday
4—Action: Inner-City
5—Energy Report
6—Island Country Garden
7—Movie: Ship of Fools
8—Horst Koehler
9—Sesame Street
11—Movie: Frontier Horizon
12—Funorama
13—Movie: Four Bullets for Joe

4:30 P.M.
2—Country Canada
4—Ski West
5—Energy Report continued
6—Country Canada
7—Movie continued
8—Question Period
9—Sesame Street
11—Movie continued
12—Funorama
13—Movie continued

5 P.M.
2—Music to See
4—Rookies
5—Meet the Press
6—Music to See
7—Movie continued
8—Untamed World
9—Mister Rogers
11—Movie continued
12—Tony Orlando and Dawn
13—Movie continued

5:30 P.M.
2—Hymn Sings
4—Rookies continued
5—News
6—Student Forum
7—Movie continued
8—Talent Breakthrough
9—Feeling Good
11—Here Come the Brides
12—Tony Orlando continued
13—Celebrity Tennis

6 P.M.
2—World of Disney
4—News
5—My Partner the Ghost
6—News
7—Movie continued
8—News
9—Feeling Good continued
11—Brides continued
12—Engelbert Humperdinck
13—Name of the Game

6:30 P.M.
2—Disney continued
4—Viewpoint
5—My Partner continued
6—News Review
7—Christmas Cartoon Special
8—Community Access
9—TBA
11—Mission: Impossible
12—Humperdinck continued
13—Name of the Game continued

7 P.M.
2—Beachcombers
4—Christmas Cartoon Special
5—Wild Kingdom
6—Beachcombers
7—World at War
8—Born Free
9—Walsh's Animals
11—Mission Impossible continued
12—Rhoda
13—Name of Game continued

7:30 P.M.
2—Irish Rovers
4—Special continued
5—World of Disney
6—Irish Rovers
7—Cartoon Special
8—Born Free continued
9—Nova
11—Lifestyle '74
12—Cartoon Special
13—College Basketball

8 P.M.
2—To The Wild Country — Special
4—Sonny Comedy Revue
5—World of Disney
6—To The Wild Country — Special
7—Christmas Cartoon Sptcial
8—Heritage — Special
9—Nova continued
11—Probe
12—Christmas Cartoon Special
13—Basketball continued

8:30 P.M.
2—Special continued
4—Sonny continued
5—McMillan and Wife
6—Special continued
7—Drama Special
8—Special continued
9—Masterpiece Theatre
11—Probe continued
12—Good Times
13—Basketball continued

9 P.M.
2—Performance
4—Movie: Funny Girl
5—McMillan continued
6—Performance
7—Special continued
8—Medical Centre
9—Masterpiece Theatre
11—Day of Discovery
12—Movie: Up the Down Staircase
13—Basketball continued

9:30 P.M.
2—Performance continued
4—Movie continued
5—McMillan continued
6—Performance continued
7—Special continued
8—Medical Centre continued
9—Firing Line
11—Access
12—Movie continued
13—Basketball continued

10 P.M.
2—Marketplace
4—Movie continued
5—McMillan continued
6—Marketplace
7—Special continued
8—WS
9—Firing Line
11—Kroeze Brothers
12—Movie continued
13—King's Corner

10:30 P.M.
2—Ombudsman
4—Movie continued
5—News
6—Ombudsman
7—Protectors
8—WS
9—Behind the Lines
11—Garner Ted Armstrong
12—Movie continued
13—Old-time Gospel Hour

11 P.M.
2—News
4—Movie continued
5—George Shearing — Special
6—News: Capital Comment
7—News
8—News
12—Movie: Glass Sphnix
13—Old-time Gospel Hour

11:30 P.M.
2—Movie: Louisiana Purchase (11:45)
4—Movie continued
5—Weekend Report
6—Movie: Change of Habit (11:50)
7—Face the Nation
8—Capitol Comment
12—Movie: Operation Amsterdam (11:35)

12 MIDNIGHT
2—Movie continued
4—Movie continued
5—Report continued
7—Movie: The Swimmer
8—Movie: Wilson
12—Movie continued

12:30 A.M.
2—Movie continued
4—Movie: Her Twelve Men
5—Movie continued
6—Movie: The Movie Maker (1:50)
7—Movie continued
8—Movie continued
12—Movie continued

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EARLY MONDAY

8 A.M.
4—Jeff's Collie
5—Today
6—Canada A.M.
7—J. P. Patches
8—Canada A.M.
11—Porky Pig
12—Frisky Frolics
13—Cartoons

8:30 A.M.
4—News
5—Today
6—Island Good Morning
7—Captain Kangaroo
8—Romper Room
11—New Zoo Revue
12—Frisky Frolics
13—Cisco Kid

9 A.M.
4—News
5—Seattle Today
6—Party Game
7—News
8—Kareen's Yoga
9—Feeling Good
11—Joker's Wild
12—Joker's Wild
13—Burke's Law

9:30 A.M.
2—Mon Ami; Friendly Giant
4—Not for Women Only
5—Seattle Today
6—Pay Cards
7—News
8—Pay Cards
9—Feeling Good
11—Gambit
12—Gambit
13—Burke's Law

10 A.M.
2—B.C. Schools
4—Merv Griffin
5—High Rollers
6—B.C. Schools
7—Now You See It
8—Consumer Prepare
9—Sounds; Families
11—Calendar
12—Now You See IT
13—Detectives

10:30 A.M.
2—Mr. Dressup
4—Merv Griffin
5—Hollywood Squares
6—Mr. Dressup
7—Love of Life
8—Definition
9—Villa Alegre
11—Calendar
12—Love of Life
13—Jack LaLanne

11 A.M.
2—Sesame Street
4—Merv Griffin
5—Jackpot
6—Talk Back
7—Young and the Restless
8—Jean Cannem (11:15)
9—All About You; Animals
11—Get Smart
12—Young and the Restless
13—Honey West

11:30 A.M.
2—Sesame Street
4—Pyramid Game
5—Celebrity Sweepstakes
6—Talk Back continued
7—Search for Tomorrow
8—Jean Cahnem
9—Sesame Street
11—Mayberry R.F.D.
12—Search for Tomorrow
13—Galloping Gourmet

12 NOON
2—Luncheon Date
4—Password
5—Jeopardy
6—News: Ida Clarkson
7—News
8—News; It's Your Move
9—Sesame Street
11—My Favorite Martian
12—Merv Griffin
13—Movie: Ghost and Mrs. Muir

12:30 P.M.
2—Luncheon Date continued
4—Split Second
5—Days of Our Lives
6—Ida Clarkson
7—As The World Turns
8—Movie: Trouble in the Glen (12:45)
9—Architecture
11—Eddie's Father
12—Merv Griffin
13—Movie continued

1 P.M.
2—Bob Switzer
4—All My Children
5—Doctors
6—Hogan's Heroes
7—Guiding Light
8—Movie continued
9—Night Before Christmas
11—Movie: Duck Soup
12—Merv Griffin
13—Movie continued

1:30 P.M.
2—Ed Allen
4—Let's Make a Deal
5—Another World
6—FBI
7—Edge of Night
8—Movie continued
9—Working Cover
11—Movie continued
12—Match Game
13—Movie continued

2 P.M.
2—Marketplace
4—Newlywed Game
5—How to Survive A Marriage
6—FBI continued
7—Price Is Right
8—Movie continued
9—People; Science
11—Movie continued
12—Price Is Right
13—Outer Limits

2:30 P.M.
2—Edge of Night
4—One Life to Live
5—Somerset
6—Edge of Night
7—Match Game
8—Somerset
9—Reaching Out; Explorers
11—Movie continued Cartoons
12—Mike Douglas
13—Outer Limits continued

3 P.M.
2—Juliette
4—General Hospital
5—Name That Tune
6—It's Your Move
7—Tattletales
8—Another World
9—Book Beat
11—Casper — Cartoon
12—Mike Douglas
13—Cisco Kid

3:30 P.M.
2—Adrienne at Large
4—Girl in My Life
5—Movie: The Blue Angel
6—Adrienne at Large
7—Dinah Shore Show
8—What's the Good Word?
9—Ripples: Inside Out
11—Speed Racer
12—Mike Douglas
13—Cartoons

4 P.M.
2—Family Court
4—Brady Bunch
5—Movie continued
6—Family Court
7—Dinah Shore continued
8—He Knows, She Knows
9—Sesame Street
11—Flintstones
12—Funorama
13—Cliffhangers

4:30 P.M.
2—Dr. Zonk and Zunkins
4—Bonanza
5—Movie continued
6—Dr. Zonk and Zunkins
7—Dinah Shore continued
8—Brady Bunch
9—Sesame Street
11—Munsters
12—Bewitched (4:50)
13—Cartoons

5 P.M.
2—Electric Company
4—Bonanza
5—Movie continued
6—Flying Nun
7—News
8—Ironside
9—Mister Rogers
11—Gilligan's Island
12—Invaders (5:20)
13—Batman

5:30 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
4—News
5—News
6—News
7—News
8—Ironside continued
9—Electric Company
11—Bewitched
12—Invaders
13—Virginian

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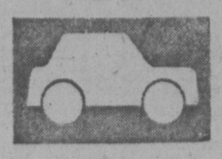

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The doctor has ordered our vendor out. The price is now down $22,000 from original price. The property is thought to be worth $67,000. The chattels are worth $5,000. Sales increased in the last year and are still climbing despite ill health. A good corner grocery trade with lovely 3 bedroom living quarters upstairs. Owner will take trade of almost anything. In 1 mile circle. Asking $67,900. Hurry on this! MLS Call: F. WILLS at 598-3344 anytime.

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SMALL MOTEL BIG INCOME

Well located on Victoria's "Motel Row" this motel assures an excellent income and a secure future for an ambitious couple. 14 units (including owner's suite) with a gross income over $47,000 in past year. $60,000 down with good terms on balance. For full information on this exclusive listing call JIM ALLAN, 386-2955, Mayfair Realty.

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—Low rental.
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24-unit motel in Victoria some with kitchenettes, on approx 2-3 acre. Well located. Owner not "Motel Minded." Try your offer. Terms or Cash. Ken Walters, 385-2481 anytime.
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6 units plus modern up to date restaurant. Situated on highway and has plenty of truck and passenger car parking. A man and wife lucrative operation. All units presently rented — winter rates. Full details available. Asking $115,000.

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APARTMENT
JUBILEE DISTRICT
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6 unit motel rented monthly with minimum kitchen — 38 seat restaurant fully equipped — ¾ acre with 360 feet highway frontage — grossing $3500 per month with short hours — no end of expansion potential for right party. Priced at $115,000 with excellent financing available. THIS IS A BUY. Call Dale Vieweger, 383-1047 or 386-7551 (collect)

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$150,000 a year gross income from this quality investment. A near-new 72 Suite Apartment with many extras. Top quality makes this investment a wise choice for a fussy investor in today's uncertain market. Priced at less than current replacement. Asking only $1,200,000. Low down payment and low-interest mortgage.

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Prime central location for this type of property. Side by side design, both rented. 950 sq. ft. per unit with 2 bedrooms and bath up and living room, dining area and kitchen down. Detached double carport. Needs some repair and redecorating. Good potential. Asking $31,900. For details please call
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QUALITY DUPLEX — PRIME FAIRFIELD — $64,900. Located close to Cook Street, Beacon Hill Park and the sea, this solid well-constructed oltimer has a large 2-bedroom unit on the main floor and a 3-bedroom one up (with separate entrance), with a total of over 2,500 sq. ft. of luxurious living space. Just immaculate. Development potential in part basement. MLS. For appointment to view or further information call ROBERT YOUNG 477-8749 or JIM WEST 382-1145 or 383-4124 anytime. Park Pacific Investments Ltd.

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Really good stucco conversion in excellent rental area. 4 large one bedroom suites, 2 bachelor suites.

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20-year well-kept apartment handy to town, never a vacancy, suite owner-manager or present caretaker will stay on. Assume $30,000, low 7¼% mortgage. MLS 9938.
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Fishing in your own backyard in privacy, by a beautiful waterfall, barge new duplex, 1950 sq. ft. each side, with full basement, 3 bedrooms, dining room, large living room with brick fireplace, eating area in large kitchen with custom cabinets, quality wall-to-wall carpet, sold by builder. (No agents please.) Open House, Saturday-Sunday 1-4 p.m. 431 Atkins Ave. To view, 478-2369.

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Gonzales Hill area near the ocean. Fully developed two-bedroom side-by-side duplex in a quiet secluded location. Trade-in considered. No mortgage to raise. Asking $87,500. Call JOHN SHAVER, 386-7721. Investors Syndicate Realty.

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While I tell you there's one for $26,500 in Vic. High Area — If you don't need a big lot and want 3 bedrooms, cal now: RUBY REID at 598-3321. MLS No. 10037.

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3-bedroom home, duplex zoned. Fully fenced garden plus lane entrance. Call: LYNETTE DELAHUNT at 598-3321.

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Immediate possession. 3-bedrooms (1 down). Brick fireplace in both large living room and rumpus room. Dining room also separate eating area in bright kitchen. 1½ baths, wall to wall throughout including fully developed basement. Separate garage — very close to all amenities. $57,900. MLS. For further information and viewing please call: RUTH BENNETT at 598-3321.

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You can be in before Christmas. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, plus 16 ft. living room with fireplace, dining room all wall to wall, cabinet electric kitchen with extra eating area. Basement has finished rec room with fireplace, work shop, laundry room. 2-car garage under spacious wrap-around sundeck. Lot size is 100x126, fully landscaped with lawns and trees. It's a real bargain as owner is transferred east. Must sell. Asking $65,000. Call Len LeDoux now at 386-7551 or 382-9852. You will be glad you did.

Revenue to help with payments plus 3 bedroom family accommodation in this newer style home close to town — park and Parliament Buildings. This is a good rental property for the investor as well. Offers to asking price $46,500. MLS 9219. Paul Smith, 383-6905 or Roy Nielsen, 386-9046.

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This immaculate 2 bedroom home has 2 fireplaces, panelled rec room, 3rd bedroom, den and washroom down. Dishwasher, covered sundeck, screened doors and windows. Exceptionally well finished, 4 years old on quiet cul de sac among lovely gardens. Only 2 blocks from the sea in Sidney. Asking $49,500. MLS 10170. Phone Harry Gray, 386-7551 or 652-1661 (24 hrs.)

SIDNEY SPECIAL

Magnificent 18x13 swimming pool with patio and terrace leading to double glass doors and large ground-floor rec room with bar. Sundeck overlooks the pool. This lovely home has two bathrooms, two bedrooms up and 3rd down. Asking $53,000. MLS 10154. Phone Harry Gray 386-7551 or 652-1661 (24 hrs.)

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OPEN HOUSE

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114 BEACH DRIVE

Tudor character home in one of Victoria's most exclusive areas. This home has been completely remodelled and is just like new. This immaculate home features 3 bedrooms with possible fourth, large living room, formal dining room, cozy den, 1½ bathrooms and bright kitchen. Other features include new plumbing, new wiring, new roof, new quality wall-to-wall, and much more. You can't miss with this beauty. Hurry! Phone DOUG LEDDING, Res. 652-2116.

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3-bedroom, older home in excellent area. Walking distance to waterfront. Easy care lot with fruit trees. Full high basement with 1,200 sq. ft. on main floor. Would suit younger couple with imagination and desire to decorate and fix up. Offers considered on asking price of $38,500. MLS. Call RAY MORRISON, 385-5741 or res 477-8801.

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$34,900

Two-bedrm., full basement home in excellent condition. Consisting of a family sized kitchen, living rm. with fireplace, two bedrms. with W to W carpet. 3-pce. pembroke bathroom and through hall plan. Full cement basement, oil o matic furnace. Large lot with fruit trees. Price $34,900.

C. Carpenter 388-5555
B.C. Land and Insurance Agency Ltd.
530 Broughton Street. 388-5555

WHITE STUCCO

2-bdrm., clean, cute home in a central lcoation, features gold W-W carpeting in L.R. and D.R. Bright kitchen. Good above-ground, basement with R-I plumbing. Make an offer on $41,900.

SHIRLEY MOLLBERG
478-5327
Homefinders, Wall and Redekop

2 ACRES

nd a spacious 3-bdrm. home, located 15 min. from Colwood Centre. High dry bsmt. ready for development. Asking $45,500

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DELIGHTFUL, WELL BUILT stucco home, living room, fireplace, separate dining room. Full basement and drive-in garage. Garden with shrubs and trees. Price $42,500. Phone 592-3920 or 384-6552. F. C. Hully Real Estate, 620 View.

OVERLOOKING THE PARK

Spacious custom homes. Oversized living and dining rooms, white Georgia Marble fireplace, family size kitchen. So well built it's in a class by itself. Evenings 592-6186.

250 HOUSES FOR SALE

BLOCK BROS

1800 Blanshard
3636 Shelbourne
1949 Sooke Rd.

3150 KINGSLEY SAT., 1:30-4:30

Offering a compact 2-rm bungalow, 2 bath, F.P., D.R. carport, and separate garage with studio, excellent starter. Good area. Mid 30's.

478-5561 JOHN ADANK 479-8135

Possession by CHRISTMAS

Don't miss viewing this exceptional home if your looking for a 2-BR, full BSMT house. Large LR with FP, spacious kitchen, plus many extra desirable features such as the high view property in a quiet dead-end street. Priced right for quick sale at $40,900. Try your down payment or trade today.

592-1764 CLIFF BALL 477-1841

Good Financing

available on this nice, older character home on high treed location, ige. easy to mnt lot. 2 BRs, full BSMT, close to schools and transportation. $44,900.

ANNEMARIE BOLENDER
477-1841 477-8653

FOR NATURE LOVERS

This large well landscaped lot with shrubs and fruit trees includes a 3-BR, full BSMT home that has a tremendous view over interurban area. All this is situated on a quiet cul-de-sac. Asking $53,500.

MARG EMMERSON
477-1841 658-8386

This Home Talks To You!

of comfort and peace, of basking in the warm sun on the wide sundeck, overlooking a well groomed yard. It talks to you of pleasant eating times in the kitchen or DR with the sliding doors to the sundeck. You will relax comfortably in the spacious LR with its cozy FP. 4 BRs, well closeted, 2½ baths. Large rec room with wet bar. $68,000.

RON EMMERSON
477-1841 658-8386

9¼ PER CENT FIRST MORTGAGE ASSUMABLE

This almost new 3-BR home is located on a quiet no-thru street close to shopping and schools. Large kitchen with sliding glass doors to sundeck. LR has attractive red brick FP. Asking $51,000.

477-1841 CLIFTON MAK 384-5947

BREATH-TAKING VIEWS

from the wrap-around sundeck, kitchen, dining and living room, even from the BSMT. Excellent financing available on $66,900. Call:

477-1841 AL POTTAGE 479-2716

SIDE-BY-SIDE DUPLEXES

Half a dozen to choose from, some new some 2-3 years old. Priced from $62,000 to $89,400 — all have 3 BRs each side.

477-1841 A. H. PAGE 382-9983

NEW LISTING

Superb 4-BR, split level, 3 months old. Located small exclusive Gordon Head sub-division. Large family room off kitchen. 3 sets bathroom plumbing. 2 stone FPs. Built-in dishwasher, garburator and vacuum system. Spanish motif. Truly distinctive. $87,500.

477-1841 BILL REMPLE 658-5794

1044 REDFERN $39,500

Drive-by but please do not disturb tenants. Tudor style, 2 storey, 3-BR family home in excellent condition. Large existing 10½% mortgage and Vendor will carry 2nd.

477-1841 BILL REMPLE 658-5794

GETTING ULCERS?

Maybe this is the right medicine for you. Secluded building lot in a controlled housing area approx 3 miles from Williams Lake in the heart of the Fishing 'n' hunting country. Offers on $8,000. Mrs. Jenkins 478-5561 or 478-6458.

ARE YOU?

new in town and house hunting? For professional service call. Mrs. Jenkins 478-5561 or 478-6458.

GAIL SAYS

If you haven't seen me you are missing a goodie! Mom would love my kitchen, once dad finished the rockery he wouldn't have to move from his cozy chair and could spend his time enjoying my view. Kids could come home at noon — no school lunches to pack. I offer seclusion and privacy yet am close to all amenities. My builder put a developed above ground bsmt into me — how about coming and looking me over. Maybe I'm just what you want for Xmas. Mrs. Jenkins 478-5561 or 478-6458.

BRENTWOOD

This home built under HUDAC gives one-year warranty besides that the price has been reduced to $50,900, which is a bargain today for a home with over 1200 sq. ft. full basement, quiet cul-de-sac, all underground services. Treed lot. Well worth viewing. Bob Paul 478-5561 or 478-2477.

FINDERS KEEPERS

Found by the roadside 4251 Shelbourne, 3-year-old, 4 bedroom, 3 bathrooms, 1125 sq. ft. home on a 70x164 lot. Those wishing to claim same may do so by presenting offers to $57,900 to Raym H. Forbes 478-5561 or 383-2520.

REDUCED $10,000

Near new 1475 sq. ft. custom-built home with full basement. Open beam ceilings in LR, DR and kitchen. 3-good sized Br with full bath off master. Spacious concrete sundeck over double carport. Beautiful setting among tall trees. And for only $74,900 you also own 2.13 acres. Mike Ryland 478-5561, 478-4761; Doug Cole 478-5561, 478-4494.

ELBOW ROOM

Three-bedroom, no-step home with family room, situated on a 100x180 lot on a quiet street in Colwood. A big plus is a 24x26 double garage or workshop. Lots of space for a variety of hobbies. $51,000. Mike Ryland 478-5561, 478-4761; Doug Cole 478-5561, 478-4494.

SAT. 1:30-4:30

OPEN HOUSE 2909 and 2912 APRELL

(OFF STATION RD.)

SAT. 1:30-4:30

Two renovated 2-BR homes situated on a cul-de-sac in Langford that you can afford. One has a full bsmt that can easily be developed. The other has finished storage space or workshop area. Both ready for occupancy before Xmas. $36,500 and $34,000. Doug Cole 478-5561, 478-4494; Mike Ryland 478-5561, 478-4761.

TURN AROUND, LOOK AT ME

This is a "special" just for you. 2 bdrm., sundeck, modernized, in the city with solitude. Low $40,000.

386-3231 ROB FUKUSHIMA 479-3408

SALT SPRING ISLAND RETREAT

Offering all the best things is life, Seclusion, year-round stream, some timber, mature fruit trees, excellent garden. One-year-old deluxe 7-room, 3-br. house, part bsmt., small guest cottage, 5 acres. Offers to $72,500.

AUSTIN MITCHELL
386-3231 598-3533
386-3231 JEFF CHALK 477-8274

250 HOUSES FOR SALE

BLOCK BROS

1800 Blanshard
3636 Shelbourne
1949 Sooke Road

PEACEFUL

Sidney. This 2-yrs.-old, immaculate, 3 bdrms., ensuite plumbing, D.R. plus eating area in kitchen. Bsmt. is partly finished. $48,500.

386-3231 LINDA FAHEY 656-1520

LOW PAYMENTS

3 bdrm., no bsmt. home $25,900 with existing 1st mortgage of $16,000 at 11%. Near to all amenities in Mayfair.

KEHAR DHAMRATI
386-3231 383-2491

2836 MILLSTREAM SAT., 1:30-4:30

Excellent financing and all good features of a new home — ensuite sundeck — brick F.P. — Make this a must to see. Asking $58,000.

386-3231 LOREA TUBB 477-6617

$6,000 DOWN

Monthly payments would be $371 p.m. Financing no problem! Vendor will carry $26,000 1st at 12% at $10,000 2nd at 12% on asking price of $42,500. 3 bdrm. home in good city location. 1st class condition.

386-3231 BOB KERSHAW 385-1208

DUPLEX POTENTIAL

8 rooms, 3 F.P.'s is this grand home on qiet street of homes in James Bay. $450 p.m. revenue now. Assume this easy 1st of $35,000 at 10%. Asking $53,700.

386-3231 BOB KERSAW 385-1208

TROUBLE FINANCING?

Ask about this easy financing. Spic and Span no-step bungalow in Haultain-Richmond area. Interior renovated as new. Good lot and friut trees. $29,900.

386-3231 D. B. TAYLOR

ESTATE SALE

Very clean, sound, stucco home on large lot in good Cook St. area near Fairmile. Lovely LR with granite F.P., separate D.R., 3 bedrms., sundeck and bsmt. Clear title, try an offer to $44,900. MLS.

386-3231 JEFF CHALK 477-8274
AUSTIN MITCHELL 598-3533

SUNNY SIDNEY TUDOR DESIGN

If you're searching for quality here it is, in this well-kept 3-bdrm. home. Oak floors, covered sundeck, Old English design den, cushion floor tile in large kitchen plus other attractive features. $51,000.

386-3231 BILL MOSHER 652-2868

WHITTOME'S
706 FORT ST. 388-4271

BUILDING SITE $52,500

This beautiful ¾ acre lot is located near Sidney overlooking Tsehum Harbour. Fantastic views are seen of the water and Marinas in a 180 degree angle from this choice lot which is only a matter of yards from the waterfront. To view please phone:

388-4271 JACK SWANSTON 592-6338

OFFERED AT $7000 PER ACRE

This 17.57 acres, being in its natural state, wooded and with areas open to build a home or to start a hobby farm, is just 5 minutes away from Sidney. The acreage has ample water having a registered water spring. Please phone:

388-4271 JACK SWANSTON 592-6338

REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY UP TO $49,000

In Oak Bay or Fairfield, 2 bedrooms, living room with fireplace, sep dining room, full high basement and up to 1300 sq. ft. of living area. May we look at your lovely home? Please phone:

388-4271 JACK SWANSTON 592-6338

A Place To Grow 1800 Sq. Ft. Plus

A four bedrm, three bathrm home set high on a hill overlooking the valleys of central Saanich Large living rm. with fireplace, dining rm with sundeck off cozy cabinet kitchen with eating area, three bedrms., master ensuite and four piece vanity bath comprise the main floor. Downstairs in a fully developed above ground bsmt there is a rec rm., 4th bedrm., full 4 pc vanity bath, large laundry rm and luxury sauna — all carpeted in top quality w-w. A workshop area and drive-in covered parking make this a real family home a good buy at $55,500. To view call:

388-4771 GARY MENZEL 477-8494
388-4271 RUTH LUKAITIS 477-5306

VACANT Three-Bedroom Home

255 Robert Street
(Holding Opportunity)

A solidly built three-bedroom home with full basement situated on a large lot (9222 Sq. Ft.) close to the sea. There is a real holding potential here. The imminent development of the Sea Cadet property at the waterfront should have a great bearing on future development of this area. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. Full asking price, $45,000. Call Mr. Yells:

388-4271 RES. 383-5039

Esquimalt Lagoon $58,000

Family home with 3 to 5 bdrms. Seaviews, sundeck, lots of parking. Walk to the beach. Close to schools. Lovely lot with play area, shrubs and fruit trees.

388-4271 SHIRLEY WILDE 478-2459
398-4271 RUTH LUKAITIS 477-5306

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REALTY LTD.
2686 Sooke Road 478-8316

YOUR CHANCE

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-4:30

To move into this nice split level home in the popular Gordon Head area. Just a block to Lambrick Park, schools and church. Open to offers on asking price of $55,900 as vendor says sell before Xmas. It's brand new and qualifies for B.C. second mortgage. Three bedrooms (master ensuite) with room for expansion. For appointment to view call:

TOM DUNCAN 477-2462
AL PETERS 478-5992

G. F. CHAMPION REAL ESTATE
For Appraisal and Consultation
813 Fort St., 388-4477

250 HOUSES FOR SALE

Island Homes Ltd.
2504 DOUGLAS
386-7545

OPEN HOUSE SAT., 1:30-4:30 1642 LONGACRE

GORDON HEAD

Delightful 3-bdrm. home with a high, well-laid out basement. Large L-shaped living and dining room, fireplace, teak feature wall, sliding glass door to large sundeck over double carport. Exceptionally nice bright kitchen with eating area. Large master bdr. with ensuite. This home is in better than new condition and is nicely situated on the lot. Close to schools and bus. Vendor transferred. This home is realistically priced at $56,900 with a 9% mortgage. MLS. For prior viewing please call RON CROW, 386-7545 or 592-4989 anytime.

OPEN HOUSE 925 ST. CHARLES SAT., 1:30-4:30

ROCKLAND, 3-BDR. CHARMER

Owner has purchased and will consider a reasonable offer to his asking price of $125,000. If a truly unique, luxurious Tudor styled home, with leaded windows, beamed ceilings, bay windows, dormer, pleasing floor plan, etc., a beautifully landscaped thoroughly private garden, is your hearts desire, I urge you to inspect this property. Spacious, entertainment-sized liv. rm., din. rm. Ultra modern kitchen has every possible modern feature. Large fam., rm. adjoins kitchen and provides view of Old English Garden through floor to ceiling windows. Quality broadloom throughout, the entire 2,250 sq. ft. of finished living space. One of the most delightful properties I have had the pleasure to handle.

Hope to see you Sat. Your host J. C. BAXTER, 386-7545.

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1-5 P.M. 758 CLAREMONT

Reduced to 47,000 for quick sale. 2-bdr. home on ½-acre of excellent garden soil. Home has large liv. rm. with fireplace, full basement, hot water heat, and drive in garage. LLOYD ELLIS in attendance, 658-8222.

NEW ON MARKET

Family home plus gorgeous in-law suite with it's own fireplace, entrance, and beautiful ag. tomorrow. Main floor, 3 bdrs. with ensuite plumbing, w-w throughout. Large sundeck with panoramic view of Haro Straits and the Malahat. A superb home and it must be seen. Asking price $67,9000. MLS. For viewing call P. J. SNOW, 592-3931 or 386-7545.

LANGFORD

Just listed, 3 or 4-bdr. home, close in on Goldstream Ave., 1,512 sq. ft. for spacious living, large new addition. Vendor transferred. Listed for quick sale at $44,500. MLS. Call RON CROW, 386-7545.

10 MILE POINT

WATER VIEW

Secluded 3-bdrm. home on over 1½ acres of choice land in the choice area of 10 Mile Point. The home offers in-line living and dining area with stone fireplace and wall to wall. Convenient kitchen with eating area and ample cupboards. Large master bedroom with full ensuite. Nicely finished basement with rumpus room and workshop area. 3 bathrooms, hot water heat, large sundeck. 3-stall carport, summer home. All nicely set in from the road. Possible subdivision. Asking only $110,000. Call RON CROW (anytime), 592-4989. I have the key.

BROADMEAD BEAUTY

Just listed a fabulous home with a fabulous view. 3 or 4 bdrms. Large master bdr. with ensuite and dressing room. Nicely planned living room, stone fireplace, well-appointed dining room combination kitchen and family room with fireplace. Laundry and 2-pce. bath on main. Rec. room in basement. Hot water heat. Double garage. A real buy at $87,500. MLS. Call RON CROW, 386-7545.

NEW 3 BDR. ASK $57,900 IMMED. POSS.

Beautiful new 3-bdr. home in fine location in Brentwood. Spacious living room with outstanding rock fireplace, wall to wall throughout. Full basement. On sewer, underground wiring. Large 11¾% mrtge. can be assumed. Low down payment.

HOWARD MITCHELL 479-4818

A HOUSE FOR SOMEONE OPTIONS

1—Rent with option to purchase.
OR
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OR
3—Cash.
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4—What have you to trade?
OR
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THE HOUSE FEATURES

Brand new. On 1 acre of land with waterview.
3 bedrooms—1½ bathrooms.
2 fireplaces—fully finished rec. room.

THE ONLY THING WE ARE FIRM ON IS THE PRICE OF $49,900

So, make us an offer we can't refuse and move in for Xmas.
Call 382-5000 or 478-4918.

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JAMES BAY
$32,950.00

White stucco bungalow with 2 bedrooms. Living room and large dining room. Basement and automatic oil heat. Redecorated and new carpeting. One block to the waterfront.

JOHN EVANS
477-4452 385-3435

P.R.B.

CITY
$32,950

No-step, 2-bedroom stucco home on an easy-to-care for fenced lot. Redecorated, floors sanded and in spotless condition. Drive-in attached garage. Electric range and refrigerator included. Several fruit trees. Jubilee area. Must be sold.

JOHN EVANS
477-4452 385-3435

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762 Fort St., Victoria, B.C.

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$112,000

Four bedrooms
Three De-luxe Bathrooms
Den
Ultra Kitchen
31 ft. Rec. Room
Many, many extras!
Your Hostess—

BETTY SHEA 592-9213

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University Area

1854 ELMHURST

You are invited to view this lovely well maintained 3-bedroom, split-level home. Entertainment-size living room with floor-to-ceiling fireplace, spacious dining room, large family kitchen. A completely finished rec room in basement, plus den or 4th bedroom. This home is completely carpeted throughout over hardwood. Located in a desirable area of Fairburn, close to all schools, university and the Racquet Club.

PRICED AT $58,500

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CENTRAL SAANICH 1511 HOVEY RD. 11.86 ACRES

IMPRESSIVE—CONTEMPORARY DESIGN HOME. AGE APPROX. 6 MONTHS FOR LARGE FAMILY

A country home your family will enjoy, just 25 minutes from Victoria. Home has exterior of old brick and stucco with wrap-around sundeck, there are 5 bedrooms plus den, large cabinet kitchen, large family and dining room. Living room with old brick fireplace. Full high basement, double carport. O.O.M. hot water heat. For the horse lover a 4-stall barn has just been completed. Best of materials and workmanship used throughout. M.L.S.

ASKING $175,000

For more information and to view please call:
E. WILKINSON or O. DOUGLAS
382-4251 anytime

GORDON HEAD

1.6 acre site with many fruit and shade trees. Gracious older home has 4 cedrooms, 4 bathrooms, large rec. room and family room. Guest-size dining room and living room with fireplace. The lot is cross-fenced and has a small barn on it. This is an ideal property for a large family — also possibilities for further development on the large lot.

ASKING $158,000

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ELK LAKE $65,900

We are pleased to offer this Executive type 4-bedroom home on well over half-acre of ground. Possibly the finest constructed home you will find in this or any price range, ten minutes drive to city. Transportation and schools close. Air conditioning installed. 1,550 sq. ft. main floor. For full particulars call:

G. WILLISCROFT
382-4251 24-hour service

Westgate

Xmas Showplace

of yesteryear now offered for sale. A winner on many Christmas decoration contests in the past, it is still a winner as a modern 2-bedroom, immaculate quality home. Conveniently located, lovely landscaped lot Asking $45,000 STAN JAMES, 388-9941, res. 592-3740. (ML 9154.)

Big Family Home

$41,900 — Vacant — 2 bedrooms and 4-pce bathroom upstairs. 2 bedrooms and 2-pce bathroom down. Full basement, double garage and workshop. Quiet street — K-Mart a cold. Try $5,000 down. STAN JAMES, 388-9941, res. 592-3740. (ML 10235.)

View Royal

$67,500. A new listing on Kingham Place. 80x181 treed lot (waterfront). 1500 sq ft with 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms. Rumpus rm and 4th bedroom in full basement. Drapes, stove, fridge, washer and dryer included. Living and dining rm. overlook kidney-shaped swimming pool. Try your down payment or trade. Sign on property. LIM RANSON, 388-9941, res. 479-5910.(ML 10199.)

New Homes

$47,900 - $50,900 In Central Saanich. 3 bedrooms, well-planned basements, sundecks, big yards, some with trees. Good workmanship. Try your trade. BOB HUGHES, 388-9941, res. 592-2128.

Sidney Lot

$16,900. Situated next to 10113 Resthaven Dr. No water problems. No down payment to good builder. JIM RANSON, 388-9941, res. 479-5910. (ML 9992)

Townhouse Site

4.45 acres, now zoned commercial. Road frontage on 3 sides, $2.10 per sq. ft. Low down payment. JIM RANSON, 388-9941, res. 479-5910. (ML 9859.)

HOMES HOMES

9¾% to 11½% interest, $51,900 to $58,900 in Gordon Head. New homes now near completion. Quality built, close to all conveniences. NHA. We offer:

Better Homes
Better Financing
Better Prices

One year plus Victoria H.U.D.A.C. warranty, flexible arrangements for down payments, phone 386-6191 anytime.

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IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

Gorge Area. 2 Logan Ave. (Corner Harriet). Beautiful English Tudor. Living room with fireplace, eating area. Family kitchen, breakfast nook. 2 lovely big bedrooms. Vanity bath. Full high cement basement has finished room, fireplace. Utility, 1-3 bath, work bench. (Room for 2-bedroom suite). On double lot. Offers on $53,900. Call owner to view anytime. 384-3064.

NORTH OAK BAY
PRESTIGE AREA
NEAR UNIVERSITY

Spacious 4 bedroom Home.
$82,000 10½% financing
By Owner 598-4347

BY OWNER. TWO BEDROOM, full basement, Esquimalt home. Living room with fireplace, separate dining room, hot water heat, clear title. $39,900. No agents please. 383-8487 or 112-743-2685.

$35,000, GET A NEW SPRING home, share cost of building 5x5 duplex, privately. 383-5726.

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$1,000 DOWN

PLUS

B.C. Gov't 2nd or $3,500 down buys this comfortable, sunny, 3 - bedroom home close to everything. Open for viewing Friday and Sat. 1-4, 2234 Mills Rd., Sidney, or call for personal showing. 477-9514 JEAN LAMBERT 656-3426

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207 — 1312 Beach Drive
Wednesday thru Saturday
1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Choice Water and Marina Views!

from this distinctive 3-bedroom condominium with plus features like white brick fireplace, thick pile carpeting, attractive wallpaper decor, covered sundeck. Over 1400 sq. ft. and attractive terms. $70,000.00. For further details or prior viewing call

HELEN PHILLIPS
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LUXURY HOME ON 16 ACRES! 700 FT. FRONTAGE ON LAKE-FRONTI DOCK FOR BOAT AND FLOATPLANE. BARN AND GUEST HOUSE. CATTLE MAY BE INCLUDED IN FULL PRICE OF $275,000. FOR APPOINTMENT TO VIEW CALL GORDON B. MacDONALD
477-9514 (Anytime)

"DOLL HOUSE" CADBORO BAY

IT'S CUTE, IT'S COSY, IT'S WARM AND INVITING. IDEAL FOR THE YOUNG "LOVEBIRDS" ONLY $34,900. YES, IT HAS 2 BEDROOMS PLUS A FIREPLACE. CLOSE TO ALL SERVICES. SO CALL ME NOW TO VIEW.

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Anytime

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3 BDRMS. — FULL BASEMENT HOME. MOUNT DOUG. PARK AREA. CURIOUS? GIVE ME A CALL.

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Anytime

$500 to $1,000 DOWN

Could put you into this cosy 3 bedroom home near Simpson Sears. Call me for details.

477-9514 M. LUND 652-2736

TRY $2000 DOWN

(Favourable Interest)

To buy this immaculate 3 bedroom, full basement home in Sidney. Come by the open house Sat. 1-4 at 2026 Melville or call me for details. Mid Forties.

477-9514 M. LUND 652-2736

TRY YOUR DOWN!

Vendor will carry large 1st or 2nd on this attractive 4-bdrm., full-basement home with nearly 1,700 sq. ft. finished space. Near Mt. Doug in a quiet rural setting. Mid-forties. Phone for details.

477-9514 ROSS BUTLER 479-7994

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OPEN HOUSE 2531 VICTOR ST. SATURDAY, 1:30-4 P.M.

This home is in the Oaklands area. Spotless and bright, it has two bedrooms on the main floor. Living room with fireplace. Large modern kitchen and dining area. Downstairs a bedroom or recreation room and laundry room. Lovely easily kept grounds fully fenced at rear. 8 years old.

$48,500

John Todd, 384-9335, 598-7849, res

SOUTH OAK BAY

A real family home situated on one of the nicest streets in Oak Bay close to schools and buses. Gracious entrance hall. Large living room, entertainment size dining room. Family size bright kitchen with eating area. Bathroom and 3 good size bedrooms. Full basement with rumpus room and another bedroom, extra plumbing. Drive in garage. Lovely large lot, very well landscaped garden with aviary for birds. All this is in excellent condition inside and out.

$62,000

To view call Ron McConnan 384-9335 or 598-7625

GORGE

Small, no step bungalow, on nice flat lot. Good starter or retirement home. One bedroom—den or sewing room — large combination kitchen, and living room. Handy to shopping and transportation. Older, but nicely renovated. (MLS 10115).

ASKING $25,900

W. E. (WIL) WILSON
384-9335 477-4328

UPLANDS SECLUSION

Executive no-step contemporary home in park-like setting. Just 18 years old, this lovely home has 4 bedrooms, very spacious living room and raised hearth fireplace with dining room in line. The kitchen and adjoining family room is perfect for the young family or even for a retirement couple. Lots of storage inside plus large workshop attached to 3-4 covered carport. The asking price for this choice home is (MLS 9127)

$92,000

To view call Don or Madge Robbins 384-9335 or 384-9072 (Res.)

555 FORT ST. 384-9335

NEWSTEAD REALTY
1637 Fort St. 598-5166

Oak Bay-Willows 4 Bedrooms $55,000

A lovely family home — a stones throw from Willows school and Oak Bay Jr. and Sr. Secondary schools. Four lovely bedrooms — 2 on the main floor and 2 bedrooms up stairs. Living room with fireplace and separate dining room. There is a recreation room down — laundry area and 2-pce. bath. You will be glad you called.

M.L.S.

PATRICIA SEDGER
479-3673 598-5166

Duplex SxS, UVic

Superb 5-year-old duplex. Three bedrooms, 2 bathrooms each side. Nice lot, double carport. $73,000. 479-3673 Patricia Sedger 598-5166

Willows-Oak Bay 6 Blocks to Sea

Call now to see this 1800 sq. ft. two-bedoom home. Lage custom rumpus room with bar. Vendor will install third bedroom if desired QUICK POSSESSION. LOW INTEREST MORTGAGE. Priced to sell at $62,900.

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WOODWARD'S MAYFAIR CENTRE

OPEN HOUSE SAT., 1:30-4 3976 TUDOR

Going into the finishing stages. Featuring 2,087 sq. ft. on one floor, including four bedrooms, two bathrooms, formal dining room, living room with full end wall stone fireplace, and a big, BIG kitchen-family room. Huge sundeck with built-in barbecue. Dble. carport. All this on approximately ¾-acre lot and asking only $99,000, full price with 10% mortgage available if desired. See this home now while there are still some choices of fixtures, etc., available. Call GEORGE WALL, 386-2955 or res. 478-5681.

OPEN HOUSE SAT., 1:30-4 908 RANKIN (Off Craigflower) 944 and 948 RANKIN (Waterfront)

Situated in one of the most pictures

250 HOUSES FOR SALE

3400 DOUGLAS ST.
384-8001

OPEN HOUSE
SAT., 1:30-4 P.M.
968 ADMIRALS
MUST SELL!
Extra large lot. 4-bedrooms, home with character, and privacy. Over 2,000 sq. ft. of living space, family-sized kitchen with eating area and utility off, 14x14 dining room, 23x16 living room, 3-pce. vanity bath, large recreation and TV room down in full basement, 2 sundecks and carport with black topped drive. Excellent financing available. DON GARSIDE in attendance, 384-8001.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT., 2-4 P.M.
4035 LOYOLA (off Laval)
Now vacant — must sell! 4 bedrooms, living room with fireplace, family room, 3 bathrooms, low-interest 1st mtge. Asking $56,900. In attendance, JESSIE McGRATH, 384-8001

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-4:30
339 COTLOW ROAD
1/2 acres Colwood. Seclusion and privacy and yet close to schools and shopping. Beautiful treed lot, circle driveway. Post and beam, unique design, three bedrooms, large living room, good-sized kitchen with eating area, full high basement with rec room and large bedroom . . . many built-ins and extras. Reduced to $56,900. MLS. MARG . . . or GLEN McGREGOR 384-8001 or Res. 477-6375.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1-4 P.M.
2607 MUSGRAVE
WILLOWS AREA
3 bedrooms, extra room in full basement. Large living room with fireplace, separate dining room, close to schools, shopping, transportation, etc. $58,000 MLS. JOYCE MILLER 384-8001 or 383-5873.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1-4 P.M.
1248 ST. DAVID ST.
SOUTH OAK BAY
3 bedrooms, master ensuite, living room with fireplace, separate dining room, wall to wall over hardwood. Large kitchen, sundeck and patio — half basement. $57,900. Exclusive with JOHN MORRY 384-8001 or 592-9770.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT., 1:30-4 P.M.
2572 LINCOLN ST.
Reduced to $51,500. Much sought after Willows Beach location 3-4 bedrooms, attractive living rm with fireplace. Full basement. ETTIE HEPBURN 385-4594 or 384-8001.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT., 1:30-4 P.M.
2 and 7075 SILVERDALE
(off Wallace Dr. at Brentwood)
Two outstanding three-bedroom homes, brand new and situated on a quiet cul-de-sac complete with underground wiring, storm sewers, curbing and on sewer. Master bedrooms are en-suite and R.I. plumbing in full basement. Wall to wall throughout. If will be worth your while to inspect these top quality homes and see the many special features included in the price of:
No. 7069 — $53,900 No. 7075 — $56,900
ETHEL WALLACE in attendance 384-8001 or Res. 382-5998.

OPEN HOUSE
1145 PALMER ROAD
(off Quadra)
Sat. 1-3:30 P.M.
A good house at a good price. Immaculate 3 bedrooms plan with beautiful floor-to-ceiling stone fireplace plus basement playroom and drive-in garage. Delightful lot 54x161. A nice and secluded spot backing onto park. Priced listed at $54,900 with JEANNIE DEWHURST 384-8001 or 477-6040.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT., 1-4 p.m.
820 LOETA
Fantastic family home only 1½ years old on cul-de-sac. Vendor is transferred. Lovely living room with wall-to-wall carpet and rock fireplace, spacious dining room, woman's dream kitchen with convenient eating area, 3 good-sized bedrooms, Bathroom with shower off master bedroom. Full basement with roughed-in rec. room and fireplace. Large sundeck. Shake roof and double carport. Excellent financing with low interest mortgage. Exclusive with PETER TER VEER, 384-8001 or Res. 479-1588.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-4:30
2312 MILLS RD., SIDNEY
Brand new listing, start the New Year in your own home — This really special two-bedroom home has been completely renovated and beautifully decorated — large living room, spacious kitchen with double SS sink and good sized eating area — four-piece vanity bathroom — fully landscaped grounds, fenced, private patio, really special — Asking price $39,000. MLS. GLEN or MARG McGREGOR, 384-8001 anytime or 477-3675.

BEAUTIFUL BROADMEAD
Two lovely homes both individualy-desioned and executive oriented. Exceptionally well-built and finished and worthy of your inspection. Priced at $92,900 and $119,000, and listed with JEANNIE DEWHURST the Realtor who believes in Broadmead. 384-8001 or 477-6040.

GORDON HEAD
Your choice — a three-bedroom, full basement, spotless home on beautiful, treed cul-de-sac, only $69,500 or an exciting new 4 bedroom 2½ bathroom home on exceptionally large lot and the answer to anyone looking for something more than the run-of-the-mill subdivision house. Reduced to $72,900. For information on these quality homes listed with JEANNIE DEWHURST 384-8001, 477-6040.

STARTER OR RETIREMENT
Cute English cottage — 2-bedroom home priced at $37,900 and open to offers. Neat and tidy and near the Gorge, JEANNIE DEWHURST 384-8001 or 477-6040.

REDUCED $2,000.00
Older home close to town. Good family accommodation or keep it rented as is. Now only $31,900 with good financing. Call JEANNIE DEWHURST 384-8001 or 477-6040.

TWO CHARMING HOMES
Built by a master craftsman with an eye for detail. Traditional, 2-storey style with the 4 bedrooms where you want them — upstairs. Gracious foyer living room, separate dining room, large kitchen with sundeck, family room, all on the main, as well as a full basement and double garage on a nice lot, choice location.

Eye catching and appealing with such a cheery brightness in the decor you could never feel depressed in this charming home. Lovely, large entry, spacious rooms, family room adjoins kitchen. Complete developed up and down with 3 bedrooms, billiard room, recreation room — it has everything. Choice location. See these lovely homes with MERYLE HAYS 384-8001 or Res. 477-8324.

A TWO-BEDROOM CUTIE
in South Oak Bay. Formal dining room, all tastefully renovated and decorated. Very quiet street, back lane with separate/garage. Price $46,900. BUD ZUCK 384-8001 or Res. 398-7213.

BRAND NEW
OFF CEDAR HILL RD.
3 bdrms, 1½ baths, at the end of quiet cul-de-sac. Wall-to-wall throughout. Full basement ready for development. Landscaped and ready for immediate occupancy. V. GOERTZEN 592-9045 or 384-8001.

250 HOUSES FOR SALE

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GORGE
Close to town. 9-year-old, 7-room frame and stucco bungalow with view of the city. Consisting of living room, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 4-pce bath on main floor. Two finished bedrooms and 4-pce. bath and hardwood floors on lower level. Unfinished rumpus room. $53,900. BERT COLES, RON BLACK or BILL JENSEN 384-8001.

CHARMING BUNGALOW
On a quiet cul-de-sac in one of those quaint locations we all love — a road which winds its way toward the ocean, offering sea glimpses and fresh clean air. Sparkling clean, 3-bedroom home on a large, nicely landscaped lot 90x128. Full basement $58,500. Don't delay on this one. MLS. MERYLE HAYS 384-8001 or Res. 477-8324.

CORDOVA BAY
Brand new executive home on a quiet cul-de-sac but with two access roads. Beautiful 3-bedroom, master ensuite, large living room with fireplace with very special hand-carved mantel. Downstairs is den and roughed-in rec. room with fireplace. Heated garage . . . so many extras, asking $74,900 and listed exclusively with ETHEL WALLACE and MARG MCGREGOR, 384-8001 anytime.

QUADRA AREA
An immaculate 2-bedroom, full-basement home perfect for retired folks. Close to shopping and on a good bus route, medical building just 2 blocks away (doctor and dentist). Large lot 50x146 with fruit trees, a dandy garden area. Listed at $42,500. To view this home call MARGARET JOHNSTON, 384-8001 or Res. 479-1589.

JUNKER!
Sometimes these older 2-bedroom homes can be made very attractive. Most of us have to start home ownership in a small way. Sewered lot, $26,500. DAR GARSIDE, 384-8001.

JUBILEE AREA
FULL PRICE $41,000
This is a spacious family home, with three bedrooms, living room and dining room. Modernized electric kitchen has a nice eating area. There are two bathrooms, two fireplaces and full basement. Situated on a good lot close to the hospital, schools and shopping. Just listed and priced to sell. MLS. PHone WALLY MILLIGAN, 384-8001 or Res. 598-2017.

DRIVE BY
578 TENA PLACE
75% financing available for qualified purchaser or trade up to this executive home. Park-like setting on quiet street. Beautiful garden on large fenced lot. 3 bedrooms, master en suite. Custom cedar fireplace. L.R. and D.R. have W-W shag. Sunny eating area in kitchen. Vanity bath. Hardwood floors. Extra large sundeck. Bright high basement ready for development. Take the 2nd left off Metchosin onto Cedarcrest and follow to Tena Place. MLS, $54,500. MARION HOPKINS, 384-8001 or Res. 592-3451.

CHARMAN
PACIFIC REALTY LTD.
608 Broughton Street
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OPEN HOUSE
DAILY
1:00-4:30 P.M.
3260 MEGAW PL.
off Doncaster - Ocean View
COME HOME FOR LUNCH to this exciting new high basement bungalow on a quiet cul-de-sac. Shag carpeting in living-dining room and 3 bedrooms (master en suite). Rec. room, 2nd fireplace and 3rd toilet roughed in. Carport, Sundeck. VIEWS OVER GOLF COURSE. TRADE YOUR PRESENT HOME! $63,500.
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FAIRFIELD
Well maintained, older home with shag carpeting in 3 bedrooms, living and dining rooms, all on one floor. High basement has garage, laundry and oil furnace. Quiet street. $40,900.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
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MLS 9081
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Three-year-old family home in quiet area, close to schools and stores. This 3-bedroom home features wall-to-wall carpet throughout, built-in dishwasher and finished rec room with second fireplace. Also includes spacious kitchen with eating area, cosy dining room, and generous use of feature walls and wall paper throughout. 8¾% mortgage house payment of only $195 per month, (includes principal, interest and taxes). Asking price $49,500. For information call owner 758-9080.

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OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-4:30
6782 BARBARA PLACE
Deluxe home, located close to schools. Only 5 years old. 3 bedrooms, living and dining room, w-w carpet, 2½ bathrooms. Cosy den with fireplace. Large recreation room. Carport, shake roof. Large well landscaped lot. New MLS. Asking $58,500. Must be sold. Your host
Call: Ed Kraft 652-3676.

OPEN HOUSE
Thurs., Fri. and Sat.
1:30 - 4 p.m.
BRUCE GORDON LANE
(corner of Wallace Drive and Cultra Avenue)
We have only 5 left
Look at these features
1. Over 1250 square feet
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Priced from $55,900 - $59,900.
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OCEAN VIEW
$74,000
The view is breath-taking. Located on ½ an acre of seclusion, this executive home of over 2,500 sq. ft. has 3 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms and over 30 feet of living and dining room. Gracious entrance hall, deluxe kitchen, and large family room with fireplace. WW carpets. Double carport. Large wrap around sundeck. Shake roof. New MLS 10239. Call:
Alice Moore 592-4529
or
Ed Kraft 652-3676

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
$46,900
Only 3 years old. Located on a quiet street, close to schools. 3 bedrooms, living and dining room. Nice sized kitchen, vanity bathroom, full basement with extra bedroom plus a partially completed rec. room and bath. Sundeck and carport. Shake roof. New MLS 10230. Call:
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MOVE IN FOR CHRISTMAS
$36,900
There are very few 3-bedroom homes of this quality on the market today. Its not new, but has been completely re-done. New kitchen, in-line living and dining room, fireplace, full high basement. Copper plumbing. MLS 9822. Call:
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VALLEY VIEWS
$58,500
Located close to schools, a really deluxe family home. Entertainment sized living and dining rooms. WW carpets. Deluxe kitchen, 3 bedrooms, master ensuite. Downstairs—a lovely den with fireplace. Extra large family room, also 3rd bathroom. Lovely large landscaped lot. Exclusive listing. Courtesy to realtors. Call:
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Alice Moore 592-4529

PRICED REDUCED
NOW $43,500
Hampton Park area, 1375 sq. ft. remodelled home. 3 bedrooms and a den. Living room with fireplace and WW carpet. Full basement and large above ground swimming pool. Large lot. MLS 9508. Call:
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Ed Kraft 652-6736

METCHOSIN AREA
ONLY 2 LEFT
We had 6 parcels now only 2. These are lovely properties—3.26 acres asking $34,500. 3.53 acres—asking $32,000. Vendor will carry sussiantial agreement for sale. If you have dreamed of a mini-farm, this has to be the answer. Call: Alice Moore, 592-4529 or Ed Kraft 652-3676

4 OPEN HOUSES
Brand New Hucker Homes
Sat., 1:00-4:00
Colwood
HAPPY XMAS IN HAPPY VALLEY
(Out Sooke Rd., left at Happy Valley, left at Walfred and right on to Weaver and Lodmell).
$48,900 to $49,900
Only 5 of these beautiful new homes left (half have already been sold). Located in a quiet, treed subdivision, all with 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, full basements. Don't miss your last opportunity to purchase one of these desirable homes. In attendance, Mike Ruddy, 656-4089 and Murray Lawson, 385-0592.
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CHECK
Statistics from CMHC show that average new home for 1974 cost $50,000.
NOW SEE THIS
$44,900 for new 2 bdrm. full bsmt. quality built home at 2345 Bradford St., Sidney. A real buy and it's lovely! Now phone me.
DOREEN McMYNN
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Champion Real Estate.

FOR SALE BY OWNER
Four bedroom house (2 down) on approx. ½ acre lot. Full high basement, fitted carpet in living and dining room. Large kitchen with eating area, 4 piece bathroom. Close to schools, bus and shopping. Loads of mature fruit trees and vegetable garden. Immediate possession. Purchaser to assume first mortgage at 9½%. Owner will carry second. Full price $42,000. $10,000 down. 478-7755

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OPEN HOUSE
804 MANN AVE.
SAT. 1:30-4:00
MUST BE SOLD. Come and see this good starter home. Large lot, quiet area. Try your offer on $37,500.
MARION HAMILTON
388-4294 382-0894
—D.F.H.—

New Listing
OPEN HOUSE
Sat., 1-4 p.m.
4082 BORDEN ST.
Off Londenderry Street. Immediate possession. move in by Christmas! This QUALITY built and finished 1,304 sq. ft. RANCHER is sparkling clean inside and out. Has 3 bedrms, plus IN-LAW suite in bsmt. New W-W carpet in LR with SLATE fireplace, big SEPARATE dining rm., new cabinets in 15x10 kitchen. Good plaster finish and coved ceilings throughout, oil hot-water heating. $64,900. MLS.
JERRY MIREAU
385-7761 Anytime
—D.F.H.—

OPEN HOUSE
Saturday 1-4 p.m.
3720 Winston Cres.
Situated on a quiet street in a prime location off Quadra and Falmouth. This bungalow has 2 bedrms. on the main floor and a 3rd to be finished in the full high bsmt. Living room with fireplace, separate dining rm., both with hardwood floors. Lovely view out back windows. Perfect retirement home. Has only one step to front door. MLS. $45,300. MLS.
PAT VICKERY
385-7761 (24 Hours) 592-6192 (Res.)
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OPEN OPEN OPEN
$57,800
235 IRVING ST.
(Off Fairfield Rd.)
Sat. Dec. 7th, 1974
1-4:30
Your Host:
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—D.F.H.—

OPEN HOUSE
1521 SHASTA
Sat. 1:30-4:30
LARGE TUDOR
4 BEDROOMS
DEN
$129,000
DOUG BAVINGTON
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UPLANDS
2-STOREY
5-BEDROOM
REDUCTION
Located in the heart of Uplands with tree-lined boulevards, impeccable lawns, and magnificent gardens, this fine 2-storey, full basement, 5-bedroom, executive home is one of the few that accommodates both family living and formal entertaining. The gracious living room with its fireplace and built-in shelving plus the big formal dining area will delight the most fastidious hostess. The large kitchen with its full size eating facilities and sliding doors to the sundeck encourage a casual life style. A comfortable den and powder room complete the main floor. The second floor offers 3 large bedrooms, plus 2 full baths for family and visitors. A full basement with rec. room and fireplace is a great teenage retreat. Landscaped grounds and fencing assures privacy. For more details on this gracious family residence (MLS 9520) call today: Reduced to $134,900. Feb. 1, Poss.
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START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT
That's what you'll be doing when you move into this spotless home in Richmond Landowne area. $49,000 buys a 3 bedroom home of 1148 sq. ft. Fireplace in living room. Darkroom in full high basement. Fully fenced backyard MLS. Excellent value here. Please call
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IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
Cordova Bay
SEAVIEW
$46,500
Delightful 1,160 sq. ft. of living for the retired couple or the smaller family. Immaculate garden and home with two fireplaces, separate dining room, large living room. Two bedrooms. Ample storage. Sundeck with views. Call today MLS 9215.
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VENDOR ANXIOUS TO SELL
IMMED. POSS.
$68,900
Large family home of 2600 sq. ft. 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, in-line living and dining room with feature wall and fireplace. Sundeck with sliding glass doors off dining room, 16 x 20 rec. room with wet bar. This home includes 2 fridges, 2 stoves, all drapes and curtains. Flexible terms. Terrific buy at this price.
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2.79 ACRES
JOHN DEAN PARK
This is truly ONE OF A KIND! EXTREMELY charming and VERY homey with open beams, and cedar, and a big 18x20 living rm with a 12 ft. high cleaned ceiling and a FABULOUS fireplace with a 5 ft. wide firebox opening. Right out of one of those homey Christmas cards. A charming and secluded 12x25 patio deck overlooks a bubbling creek winding its way through this lush, treed, and ABSOLUTELY BEAUTIFUL property. All rooms in this unique home are large, including 2 big bedrms. A huge double garage is designed to support a 900 sq. ft. proposed addition if desired. Also, if desired, there are imminent SUBDIVISION possibilities, land can be cut off now with from 3 to 5 more as Dean Park Estates develops, or hold for future financial security. Plans are available. Please call for additional information on this beautiful country home, offering charm, history and complete privacy. Offered at $99,500. MLS.
STEVE MOONEY
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In Simple Words
This home is ideal for the new family. It's in a convenient area of Esquimalt and has a large lot. 3 bedrms, large living rm. with fireplace and kitchen with eating area. Drive-in garage for small car and a big workshop and storage shed out back. It's also priced at last years level: only $31,500 full price. Please call:
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PRE-CHRISTMAS
PRE-1975 RUSH
OPPORTUNITIES
GORDON HEAD—1609 sq. ft. rancher, 4 bedrms, 2 bathrms, family rm, surrounding interior courtyard. Large lot, prime location. A very, very intriguing home! $47,900. MLS.

UNIVERSITY — Terrific family home! 4 Bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, rec room, full high basement, huge sundeck, double carport, etc. Fantastic location close to all schools, university, Racquet Club, shopping center, transportation. A spacious well-kept, attractive, modern split-level executive home. Owner transferred. Asking $57,900. MLS. Low interest financing can be assumed.

CAPITAL HEIGHTS—Sound, spacious older home in high quiet location. 3 or 4 bedrms, huge kitchen, separate dining rm., full bsmt, deep fenced lot with fruit trees. Wiring, plumbing, furnace, hot water and roof have all been renewed. Present your offer today! Asking $40,500. MLS. Low interest financing can be assumed PLUS owner may assist. HURRY!

TOWN and COUNTRY — Comfortable, remodelled, 2 bedrm, stucco bungalow with bsmt. In handy location. Wiring, plumbing, furnace, hot water, kitchen have all been renewed. W-W carpeting, large brick fireplace. A comfortable home at a comfortable low price. Low interest financing can be assumed.

COLWOOD-GLEN LAKE—Spacious, newer, 3 or 4 bedrm, 2 bathrm, full high bsmt. home on approx. 1 ACRE of beautiful treed property in a high, quiet location. Loads of financing at reasonable rates can be assumed. Large bright kitchen, sundeck, lovely feature fireplace with quick possession possible. Act now at $53,900. MLS.

Now is THE Time!
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LOCATED IN DOWNTOWN METCHOSIN
Only 1 mile from the store and ½ mile from a school. This lovely English tudor style home has 3 bedrms, seperate dining rm. The living rm. of course has a fireplace. Double garage and workshop. Naturally there is a garden and fruit trees. Neighbors? Well, on the right it's 200 ft. on the left you can't see them. In front there isn't anybody or behind either. Seclusion but not more than 15 minutes from major shopping centers. MLS. To see this lovely cottage, call:
JOHN WATERMAN
385-7761 (24 Hrs.) 478-2255 (Res.)
—D.F.H.—

CIRCLE THIS ONE
If you hurry you may still enjoy the sparkling wonder of winter from this serene 3-bedrm. plus den, full bsmt. home located on a quiet secluded no-thru road. Here you will find an immaculate white sand stucco home where quality of construction is evident throughout. A white brick fireplace lends a cheerful note complimented by gleaming oak floors and large picture windows ring the treed setting indoors. Owners transferred and anxious to sell. Asking price $63,500. Close to University, major shopping centers and schools. MLS. For prior viewing call:
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New Listing
THIS WEEK'S BARGAIN
GORDON HEAD
COSTLY W-W CARPET UP-STAIRS AND ON 1ST FLOOR. 1 YEAR OLD DREAM HOUSE. TALL TREES. WELL LANDSCAPED. METAL GARDEN SHED 3 ELEGANT BATHRMS. 4 BEDRMS. GRACIOUS ROOM SIZED GROUND FLOOR ENTRANCE. 2ND FIREPLACE IN REC. RM., LOVELY VIEWS FROM LR., SPACIOUS DR AND WRAP - AROUND HUGE PRIVATE BALCONY OVER CARPORT. DREAM KITCHEN. IMMACULATE — IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. PRICED FOR QUICK SALE. REAL VALUE HERE. $59,950. MLS.
MABEL CRACK
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$32,500
This charming James Bay, 2 bedrm, no bsmt features 55x110 lot with fruit trees. Brand new foundation, rewired, replumbed MLS. Low down payment with the balance to Vendor on an agreement for sale. Close to the sea and shopping. Conveniently located at 101 Oswego for appointment to view, call:
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LOCHSIDE DRIVE
Now Only $76,900
Desirable waterfront on scenic Saanich Peninsula, on over ½ acre, all nicely landscaped and shrubbed. Comfortable 3-bedrm., full basement home, with living rm., dining rm., and kitchen, all offering fantastic views of Gulf Islands and Mt. Baker. Attached garage. Terms available. View by appointment, MLS.
AL WIESHLOW
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MOVE IN BEFORE XMAS
Brand new 3-bedrm. home. Full basement, 2 bathrms, 2 fireplaces, luxurious W-W carpeting, large sundeck off dining rm. Many extras! Enjoy the fresh air and mountain views. Just a few minutes drive from the city. Asking $51,900.
Lillian Cumming
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ESQUIMALT
5 BEDROOMS
Plus Revenue
$42,500—MLS
BILL CARNEGIE
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—D.F.H. —

BUY NOW
For Future Profit
1,200 sq. ft., 3-bedrm. home on 7.6 acres in the Highlands. 50x28 new workshop-barn, beautiful location high in the hills. Shows good potential for future subdivision. All this for only $65,000. MLS. Call, for full details and inspection of this terrific property:
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BEST BUY ON SEAVIEW ROAD
Only 15 years old. Architect designed. Top quality. Entertaining size LR and DR. 2 bedrms., 1½ bathrms. on main floor, den with FP, super bright kitchen off eating area and laundry facilities. Part basement has 3rd bedrm., ½ bathrm., double drive-in garage. Grounds are serviced by a completely automatic sprinkler system. All this plus views — views — views! And the low, low price of only $76,000. To see this deluxe exclusive, call:
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—D.F.H. —

Pastoral Setting
120x160 LOT
Near BRENTWOOD
This quality built home is located high on a hillside secluded from the road. The living rm. has quality W-W and feature rock fireplace, formal dining rm., well-laid out kitchen with loads of cupboard space, family room with eating area and sliding glass doors to private back yard. Separate laundry and mud room adjacent to kitchen. 3 bdrms. on main floor, master bedrm has walk-in closet plus ensuite. Full bsmt. Drive-in garage plus carport. Exterior has cedar siding and shake roof. A truly great family home that must be seen. New MLS, $75,900.
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4 LEVEL SPLIT
LAKE VIEW
$47,900
LUSCIOUS W-W AND LOVELY FLOOR-TO-CEILING FIREPLACE IN L-SHAPED LR-DR., BALCONY OVER CARPORT, 3 BEDRMS., REC RM. PLART. ATTRACTIVELY LANDSCAPED LOT. 3 YEARS OLD, NEAR LANGFORD LAKE. MLS.
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HOBBY FARM
5 Acres
COZY FIREPLACE IN LR (W-W CARPET) 2 BEDRMS WITH OAK FLOORS, WIRED FOR DRYER. CITY WATER. STORAGE SHEDS, BARN, HEN HOUSES, WORKSHOP (CEMENT FLOOR), CORRALS, PLUS LOG CABIN SUITABLE FOR GUEST COTTAGE. LAND PARTIALLY CLEARED. FRUIT TREES AND LOTS OF FRESH AIR, PRIVACY AND LOW TAXES. ASKING $69,000. MLS.
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LOVELY LANGFORD LAKEFRONT
4 bedrms., 2 bathrms., den and family room. Rustic interior. Outside needs some work. Try your offers. Asking $48,000. MLS.
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LANGFORD
4 BEDROOMS
$35,000
Living rm., kitchen, bathroom, 2 bedrms., and a den all on the main floor. The basement contains 2 more bedrms., rec. rm., laundry room and another bathrm. Large well-landscaped lot close to everything. This is the best buy in Langford today. MLS.
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Open Today 2-4
2630 Roseberry
A very lge. family home. 3 big and 2 or 3 small bdrms., a banquet-sized dining rm., a living rm. 14x23; ideal for numerous progeny, bring ladders and paint for outside, the inside is just fine. Reasonable terms possible at only $43,000. JOHN RUSSELL 592-3248 or 382-9191.

Open Today 2-4
1653 Sarita
Quiet cul-de-sac in Gordon Head. Ideal family home. 4 bdrms. 2 bathrms, master ensuite, rec. rm. big backyard. Offered at $58,900. (M.L.S. 10093. TIM HOSKIN 386-9364 or 382-9191.

Open Today 1:30-5
10216 Surfside Pl.
A clear sweeping view of beach and water, only a ston's throw away. Marina's to the the left and all of Sidney to the right. Top quality materials have been used in this lge., new Tudor home. Over 2,000 sq. ft. completely finished up and down, triple plumbing and landscaped. Price now $79,000. Move in for Xmas. Enquiries invited. MARGE SHORE 385-9894 or 382-9191.

Great Selection
1—Strata Title. 3 yr.-old approx. 1,100 sq. ft. on 2 flrs. 3 bdrms, 1½ baths, utility area. $35,800. (MLS 9031)
2—Oak Bay. 2 bdrms, den with f. place, full bsmt, double carport. secluded well-treed lot, financing available to qualified prospect. $58,000.
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Start or Stop
Pretty and cosy 2 bdrms, kitchen with eating area and laundry. Carport and a delightful garden. H. A. furnace, no steps, no bsmt. Start in life or retire here at $36,900. Exclusive. JOHN RUSSELL 592-3248 or 382-9191.

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$95,000
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$62,500
Home and revenue. Located on Church Road in Sooke. 3-bdrm. family home with ensuite plumbing. Lower level, fully developed 2 bdrm suite. 1-acre level lot. Subdivision possible. To view phone MARY WOOD at 592-2647 or 382-9191. (M.L.S.)

Try Your Down
Fairfield. 5% down payment could put a qualified buyer into this excellent older, but completely renovated 3-bdrm home. Asking $42,500. 2 storey full bsmt. Good wiring, plumbing and heating system. For more details call PAT DOERKSEN at 478-3432 or 382-9191. (M.L.S.)

Low, Low Price
Vacant, move in and shop at Hillside for Xmas. Professionally remodelled 2 bdrm, bsmt. home living rm with f-place, sundeck off bright kitchen. A fantastic buy at the reduced price of $35,000. (MLS.) GRAY LAITE 656-5267 or SID HASLAM 477-1994 or 382-9191.

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Newly listed, ideal 2-bdrm, starter or retirement, remodelled kitchen, f-placed living rm. Gorge area. It's good. (MLS.) SID HASLAM 477-1994 or GRAY LAITE 656-5267 or 382-9191.

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Over ½-acre of landscaped grounds on Beach Drive provide setting for this attractive roomy bungalow featuring 3 bdrms, and den. In-line living and dining rm., 2 baths on main, full bsmt with lge rec rm and 4th bdrm. Over 2300 sq. ft. developed flr area plus 2-car attached garage. Priced at $110,000 (M.L.S.) For details and viewing please call HERB MCDANNOLD at 658-8844 or 382-9191.

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Drive by this brand new 3 bdrm home (1 down) at 4632 Rocky Pt Rd., then call to view thru. Asking $34,900. Financing available. Ure B.C. $5,000 2nd for part of down payment. 1700 sq. ft. of quality finished living area on 2 levels. Separate dining rm, rec rm, 2 f-places and 2 bathrms. (M.L.S.) PAT DOERKSEN 478-3432 or 382-9191.

Must Be Sold
Vendor transferred. Offers invited. Beautiful 7-yr.-old bungalow in excellent condition. Living rm with f-place, sundeck off dining rm, lovely kitchen, 2 spacious bdrms, 1½ baths, rec rm, lge lot on quiet dead end street. Off West Saanich Rd., Lake District. Call IRMA KULIGOWSKI at 382-9191 or 656-5325 (M.L.S.)

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Architecturally designed, new 4-bdrm home for family living and gracious entertaining. Living rm with elegant-style f-place, separate sunken dining rm, spacious kitchen, 2½ baths, family rm with old brick f-place, lge R.I. rec rm, 3 sundecks, double carport. Features luscious carpeting, flooring and lighting thru-out with eye appealing decor. All this in a prestige area for $115,000. For details please call HERB MCDANNOLD at 658-8844 or 382-9191.
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1,958 spotless 2-bedroom bungalow with a full basement featuring: bright cheery kitchen with custom vinyl upholstered nook with legless arborite table.
—Living room with fireplace W-W over oak floors
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2-bedroom bungalow in popular Jubilee area. 3rd bedroom and rec. rm. in basement. Low down payment with possible CMHC financing. Try your offer. MLS 9906.
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EXCELLENT VALUE
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This brand new home features:
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—W-W shag throughout
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On water and hydro, parkland with creek at bottom of property. Exclusive at $16,500.
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¾-ACRE, ½ MILE NORTH OF Elk Lake on right hand side, partly cleared, $28,000. Will take motor home or truck and camper as part payment. Phone the owner, 477-6308.

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Lakeview building lot in serviced area. 75'x130'. In the village.

¾ acre building lot in Mill Bay, $11,800.

Choice 5 acre lot. Level. Partially treed. On a quiet road in Mill Bay near the ocean. $43,500. Very good. $12,900.

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3 LOTS — Half-acre or better with lovely water view, situated on the sunny side of the Saanich Peninsula. These gently sloping lots offer gorgeous views of Saanich Inlet and to the Malahat and Mill Bay. PRICED FROM $21,300 to $23,500.

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Central Saanich, city water and perc tested, ready to build on. Good arable soil
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Nicely treed lot in an area of quality homes near Amity Drive. Make an offer. Builders terms.
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2 beautiful lots, 2.75 acres each, on Wesley Rd. Tall native trees on property, community water, superb property. (MLS). $40,000 per lot.
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SUB DIVISION POTENTIAL
NORTH SAANICH
24 ACRES
CONSOLIDATION
Zoned 1 acre nicely treed — tentative approval for 20 lots. A real winner for the astute developer and builder, only 15,000 per acre. Plans and full details call Fred Beaver-Jones at 382-9981 or Vaughn L. Thompson 658-8541 or office 386-7551.

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2—Bargain lot for holding property, Wilkinson area. Only $6,000.
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274 PROPERTY WANTED

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CASH
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280 ACREAGE FOR SALE AND WANTED

1—Two 10-acre lots on Malahat. Great views. $35,000 each.

2—10 Acres in Highlands — $45.000.

3—Choice building lot in Broadmead — $32,000.

4—Waterfront ½-acre lot in Mill Bay, only steps to beach, on no-thru street. $35,000.

For information on above properties call:
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512 Fort Street

NEEDED IN SAANICH
Vancouver family still searching, 2-5 acres, quiet area, with mature trees, gently slope with or without house. House must be large with full basement. Occupancy anytime before June 1975. Maximum price $75,000 CASH. Visiting Victoria next week. Please call our agent, CHRIS GREIG 388-6231 or 479-7995 ANYTIME. ISLAND PACIFIC REALTY.

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SAANICH — 2.49 Ac. City Horse Farm.
SAANICH — 2.25 Ac. Small stock Farm.
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2 acres of beautiful trees, near creek, on Hydro, two miles from Sooke Village and schools. 268 foot road frontage, cleared building site. Fine homes already built in this secluded park-like area. Sacrifice at $18,900. 382-4179.

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OR MOVE UP THE ROAD A WAYS
FISH at the front door, enjoy NATURE at HER finest on the Cowichan River. MLS.

Make your offers on these fine choice lots. Your family will be rewarded many times over. Call:
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23 PRIME ACRES
SHAWNIGAN LAKE RD.
Here's a fantastic deal! Modern 8-rm. new home, log cabin guest house, your own stream course for winter fishing, ample 1st and 2nd growth timber, 3 acres cleared for paddock, year-round ample supply of deep-well water and complete seclusion. This can be yours for the price of
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¾ acre sewered lot on Island Highway, with access from Highway and rear street. This is an excellent location for tourist oriented, or drive-in business. Offers considered on asking price of
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Compact, cozy, cutie of a 2-bdrm retirement home on ½ acre, a short block to beach. Charming liv rm, efficient kitchen, in-line dinette, 4-pce. vanity bathrm, W-W throughout. All newly-decorated and as solid as when built 12 years ago. Full price $38,500. For viewing please call ETTIE HEPBURN 384-8001 or Res. 385-4594. The Royal Trust Co.

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15 minutes from NANAIMO CITY CENTRE. One of the last lots left in Thomas Park Subdivision, off Yellow Point Road. Easy terms $9,950.00 BOB KOHLRUSS 479-5971 or 388-6231 Island Pacific Rlty.

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NO DOWN PAYMENT
DUNCAN
New 3-bedroom non-basement, 1264 sq. ft., many deluxe features, some finishing required. Full price $43,000. Payments $450 per month. Owner. 5988 Rothwell Place, Duncan.

BY OWNER, NEW, 4-BEDRM. home, Duncan area. 2 up, 2 down. Full bsmt., big family rm. Large utility on large lot with fruit trees. Lot adjoins community playground, paved Dr. Mostly furnished. Hurry for this at $38,500. Ph. 743-5117.

285 UP-ISLAND PROPERTIES

Vancouver Island
LAND SALE
FROM $100 DOWN
$100 MONTHLY
PRICE FROM
$8,000
NANAIMO
or
WEST COAST

A. Choice building lots in Nanaimo area with water for $500 down, $100 monthly. Price $11,900.
B. West Coast lots close to Long Beach, treed and 5-minute walk to ocean. $800 down, $72 per month. Sewer, water and hydro. Paved road.
C. 5-acre parcel, West Coast—500 feet of sandy beach. Price $69,000.
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E. ¾ acre treed—paved road. Nanaimo $9,500.
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—Monthly maintenance $20.00.
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Flat treed lot just steps from golf course and 2 blocks from beach. $14,000. For further information call DAVE MARSHALL, 386-2955 or 656-2056. Mayfair Realty.

100X200 SEMI-WATERFRONT treed view lot, on Aldergrove Drive, 10 miles north of Courtenay. $12,000 cash. Phone Victoria, 478-5617.

BUILDING LOT, APPROX. ¾-acre, partially cleared with drilled well, Braemar Subdivision, Cobble Hill, $15,500. 748-1233. Private.

290 FARMS FOR SALE AND WANTED

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ANYONE FOR FARMING
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Mrs. Denny Dies

Funeral services will be held Monday for Mrs. Rolefta May Denny, who helped her husband start Standard Furniture in Victoria. She died Friday, aged 94.

Her parents and grandparents were pioneer settlers in the Comox Valley. She was the oldest daughter in a family of 12 children. Her parents were from New Glasgow.

Born in Nanaimo, Mrs. Denny was May Queen there in her youth.

Her late husband, Arthur, came to Canada from England. They married in 1905 and started Standard Furniture in 1911.

She is survived by three children, Tom, Roy, and Mrs. Eleanor Stenner, all of Victoria, nine brothers and sisters, 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. in McCall Brothers floral chapel, Johnson and Vancouver, with Archdeacon H. J. Jones officiating. Cremation will follow.

Price HQ To Remain In Quebec

QUEBEC (CP) — The head of the Price Co. Ltd. will remain in Quebec City, says Abitibi Paper Co. Ltd. of Toronto, which recently acquired a controlling interest in the newsprint company.

In a telegram sent to the regional development council of the Saguenay-Lake St. John area of Quebec, C. H. Rosier, Abitibi president, also said his company intends to see the $47 million expansion projects planned by Price in Quebec will be realized.

The telegram said the two companies will work together "to promote a positive impact in the regions were we have operations."

Contents of the telegram followed fears expressed in the Quebec National Assembly that the takeover of Price would result in its head office being moved to Toronto and curtailment of its expansion in Quebec.

Abitibi acquired last month 51 per cent of the outstanding shares of Price by outbidding Consolidated-Bathurst Ltd. and offering $25 a share.

Debits Up $1B In Year

Debits to individual bank accounts for the Victoria area during October totalled $2 billion, compared to $1 billion last October and up from $1.6 billion in September.

The figure includes all amounts in the accounts of bank customers, excluding the value of cheques drawn on the Bank of Canada, the Government of Canada and by banks on each other, in order to indicate the level of economic activity in private industry.

Airport Rubble Yields 16 Dead

TEHRAN (AP) — Tehran Mayor Gholamreza Neikpay said today that rescue teams had ended a 30-hour search for bodies in the collapsed main terminal at the airport after finding 16 corpses.

The mayor said the rescue teams had found 11 persons alive in the rubble after the terminal roof collapsed Thursday.

Ambassador Nixon?

LONDON (Reuter) — Julie Nixon Eisenhower said in a television interview Friday night she thought her father would return to public life, possibly as a roving ambassador. She said former president Richard Nixon was in good spirits but weak.

$400,000 For Coins

GENEVA (Reuter) — Four hundred gold Spanish pieces of eight, once the favorite plunder of pirates, were sold at an auction Friday for $400,000.

Malaria Kills 17

RANGOON (Reuter) — Seventeen people have died of malaria near Mandalay in the last three weeks, the official Vanguard newspaper reports. The paper says more than 500 people have been treated for the illness.

SIGNS, FORM LETTERS OUT TO LANDLORDS

The Rental Housing Council is distributing form letters and signs to Victoria landlords this weekend in the continuing battle against the rent increase restrictions, council manager Clayton Warren said today.

The signs would be placed outside apartments and would read:

"Sorry, no vacancy due to government restrictions."

This would indicate the landlord was keeping suites vacant because it would not be economical to rent them at levels imposed by the provincial government, Warren said.

The letters would be made available to landlords who would have prospective tenants sign them and forward them to Atorney-General Alex Macdonald

The letters would say the tenant is willing to pay rents higher than those established by the Rental Review Commission and would ask for permission to do so in order to obtain accommodation.

Warren said there never has been a suite strike in Victoria but the council now is distributing the material to landlords here and decisions on whether to withhold suites is up to the individual owner.

The council has not officially endorsed the strike which was called by Vancouver landlords. Under the strike in Vancouver, landlords would refuse to rent suites as they became vacant unless they could raise rents above the 10.6 per cent limit.

Warren said the council expects a number of letters will be forwarded to the attorney-general by tenants who are willing to pay higher rent in order to obtain accommodation.

He said problems about landlord-tenant relations are compounded by the fact there is no spokesman for the Rentalsman or the new Rent Review Commission in Victoria.

The telephone lines to Vancouver are often busy, he said, and it often takes several weeks to get someone from Vancouver to come to Victoria to adjudicate a dispute.

"This is a frustrating, impossible situation for people living in Victoria," he said.

The council has criticized the new Landlord and Tenant Act because it does not allow for appeals, even for owners approaching bankruptcy.

The council wants landlords to have the right to raise rents above the 10.6 per cent limit, providing that on appeal by a tenant, justification is proven by the landlord.

The provision was in the Landlord and Tenant Act on Oct. 1 but was not in the amended version of the act which was passed at the end of November.

The council also replied to the B.C. Federation of Labor which said landlords were hypocritical for protesting now when they had never used appeal provisions under the act.

The council said appeal provisions were proclaimed Oct. 1 but the rentalsman refused to operate it until the legislation was clarified. When the act was amended at the end of November, the appeal provision was not included.

There was never any chance for an appeal, the council said.

CONFISCATED beer and liquor is piled high before being run over by a bulldozer after it was seized by 30 RCMP officers in a four-hour highway check near Prince George. The bottles, about 300 cases of beer and 100 bottles of liquor, was mostly taken from minors.

Housing Starts Down 36%

OTTAWA (CP) — Housing starts in November declined 36 per cent to 11,501 from 18,079 recorded in the same month last year, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) reported Friday.

Totals for the first 11 months of the year were 160,091, a decline of 18 per cent from the same period in 1973, the corporation said in a news release.

On a seasonally adjusted basis, housing starts in November were at a rate of 167,000 annually.

The 11-month totals showed the sharpest decline in multiple housing activity, which was down 26 per cent. The decline in starts of single-detached dwellings was six per cent, the CMHC said.

Berber A Peer

LONDON (AP) — Anthony Barber, who served as chancellor of the exchequer in the Conservative government that left office in February, was nominated to become a peer for life in ceremonies Friday.

Robbers Given Lengthy Terms

VANCOUVER (CP) — Two armed robbers were sentenced Friday to lengthy prison terms, but still face a long list of charges resulting from an escape last week from city police headquarters.

Robert Hume, 23, of Chilliwack was jailed 14 years and Gordon Andrews, 21, of Victoria was sentenced to 10 years when they appeared in Provincial court before Judge John McCarthy under heavy security.

They were shackled at the ankles and handcuffed as they were taken from the courtroom by five British Columbia penitentiary guards.

Judge McCarthy said they were a danger to society and that the public has to be protected.

The judge said both had pleaded guilty to seven armed robbery charges last October and November that netted cash and jewelry worth more than $30,000.

He said probation reports show that Hume was first judged to be a juvenile delinquent at age 13.

"You showed unmanageable and incorrigible behaviour as a juvenile and you haven't changed since. "You are not a fit member of society."

The judge said probation reports show that Andrews was an uncontrollable, aggressive person, subject to temper tantrums, who had steadfastly rejected efforts at rehabilitation.

"You haven't got the slightest intention of becoming a useful citizen," said the judge.

The two men will appear in court Dec. 12 jointly accused with Larry Marshall, 38, of escaping custody, attempting to murder a police constable by slashing him with a razor, stealing his gun, attempting to murder a motorist, wounding a sheriff's officer, theft of an automobile and possession of a dangerous weapon.

Police are still seeking a fourth man, Vincent Fitzgerald, 20, in connection with the escape.

Deputy sheriffs said Friday that they have now received the first shipment of side arms promised by Attorney-General Alex Macdonald.

They said three pistols have been received at Vancouver police headquarters and two at Vancouver courthouse.

15 Caught By Bankrupt Record Club

At least 15 Victorians have lodged complaints against the bankrupt Record Club of Canada, the local Better Business Bureau says.

The 15 had either prepaid for records not received or had received the wrong ones and were seeking a refund.

The Ontario firm has announced it is unable to continue in business.

Its address is 300 Customers Road, Willowdale, Ontario, but the Better Business Bureau is advising those with complaints to deal directly with the trustee, J. Sprackman, 480 Lawrence Avenue West, Toronto.

Woman Priest Controversy Sharpens

NEW YORK (AP) — Widening controversy over ordination of women priests in the Episcopal Church was focused Friday in Ohio, where various events are sharpening the issue in a new way.

Among developments there are plans for two women, recently ordained at an irregular service, to exercise priestly functions by celebrating holy communion on Sunday at an Oberlin, Ohio, parish.

The plans followed recommendations by the standing committee of the Ohio diocese that one of its own women deacons now ready for ordination, Rev. Joan Grimm, he made a full-fledged priest.

Episcopal canons don't explicitly bar women from the priesthood, but long church tradition is against it. The Episcopal Church is the U.S. branch of the Church of England.

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Alberta's Only Layoffs In Unemployment Office

EDMONTON (CP) — Salvatore Prete had to close his Italian Gardens restaurant to the lucrative noon-hour crowd because he couldn't find a couple of waitresses and a kitchen helper to hire, even at the going rates.

John Dempsey, manager of Kroehler Manufacturing Co. Ltd., needs about 50 employees to maintain furniture production. He had to hire about 300 in a year to hold that level. Now he's experimenting with ways to retain employees.

R. R. Smith, personnel manager for The Bay here, said his stores needed employees in almost every department and have put 2,000 leaflets offering jobs into the mailboxes of houses near company warehouses.

"We may even resort to hustling people on the street."

This is what happens when a province's unemployment rates drops to 2.2 per cent of the labor force (October), lowest in Canada. Economists consider anything below four per cent as full employment.

The national average was 5.4 per cent.

One of the few outfits in Alberta not having any trouble keeping enough employees to handle business is the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

The Edmonton office, also in change of the Northwest Territories and northern Alberta, laid off 115 workers in the last year.

GETS WORSE

Most industry spokesmen believe the labor shortages will get worse before they get better. Not even the already-evident slackening of interest in Alberta by the multi-national oil companies will make much difference, they say.

There's so much in the works that a labor department official believes "natural selection" must occur, delaying certain projects because there just aren't enough workers and materials to proceed.

There are already several major proposals to develop the oil sands of northeastern Alberta in addition to the $1 billion Syncrude project under way; there are plans for massive petrochemical developments such as the Alberta Gas Trunk-CIL project that would cost $700 million; there are 19 proposals for fertilizer plants that would convert natural gas; there is the proposed Mackenzie Valley pipeline to name a few.

It has been estimated that Alberta's booming economy will need up to 100,000 new workers in the next two years. In the last 12 months, the province absorbed 55,000 new workers and still had about 15,000 unfilled jobs.

CREATES BIDDING WAR

Officials say the backside of Alberta's boom has created bidding wars for such people as carpenters, operators of heavy duty equipment, mechanics, truck drivers and nurses. Some hospital beds have been closed.

The result of the bidding, they say, has contributed heavily to inflation.

Alberta is seeking workers elsewhere in Canada but the high employment in other places makes the search difficult.

The Calgary immigration office reported that the number of temporary work permits granted to foreign workers in Alberta increased by 20 per cent in less than a year to 6,100 in the first three-quarters of 1974.

The Alberta department of labor and manpower has established offices in Toronto and London, England, to encourage skilled workers to come to the province.

Order of Canada Awarded to 59

OTTAWA (CP) — Gov.-Gen. Jules Leger returned to active duty Friday by investing 59 Canadians in the Order of Canada.

Leger, who suffered a stroke June 8, stood during a 40-minute ceremony at government House under bright television lights looking a little thinner but fit.

The Governor-General, his left arm held in a black sling, the only indication of the stroke, spoke briefly with each recipient.

Health Minister Marc Lalonde, in a brief address, welcomed the Governor-General back and said that the Order of Canada, now seven years old, has not become a thing taken for granted by Canadians.

He told the recipients, ranging from a former CNR president to William Whipper Billy Watson a retired professional wrestler, that the order is designed to say congratulations to the recipients.

Four men were made companions of the order, the highest rank, 20 were made officers and 35 became members. The Order of Canada is the highest honor for which Canadians are eligible. Awards are made twice yearly for "outstanding achievement and merit in every major field of endeavor."

Names of Friday's recipients were announced last June.

Made companions of the order were Gerald Fauteux, 74, former chief justice of Canada; Cardinal G. B. Flahiff, 69, Roman Catholic archbishop of Winnipeg; Norman MacMillan, 65, former chairman and president of Canadian National Railways, and Joseph Sedwick, 76, prominent Toronto lawyer and a member of a royal commission that reviewed the Criminal Code in 1952-54.

Among the 20 officers invested were William Dodge, 63, retired secretary-treasurur of the Canadian Labor Congress; Margaret Meagher, 63, of Halifax, former ambassador in the Middle East, Europe and Africa, and Thomas H. Manning, 63, of Merrickville, Ont., Arctic biologist and geographer.

Also made officers were Laura Sabia, 57, of St. Catharines, Ont., crusader for women's rights; Albert Perlin, 73, Newfoundland journalist and commentator; Albert Trueman, 72, former national Film Board chairman and first director of the anada Cuncil, and Richard L. Hearn, 84, former Ontario Hydro chairman.

New members include George Athans of Kelowna, 22-year-old world champion water skier; James G. Channing, 61, clerk of the Newfoundland cabinet; Donald R. Frisby of Kirkland Lake, Ont., who founded the first official school for rearded children in Canada; Alan Mills, 61, of Montreal, singer, actor, writer, editor and broadcaster; Rene Richard, 79, an artist of Baie-St.-Paul, Que.; Gertrude O'Keefe, a Calgary Red Cross Volunteer worker for 30 years, and Helena Reimer of Winnipeg, for 33 years a nurse in Egypt, Cambodia, Manitoba and Quebec.

LIMA HOTEL UNDER FIRE

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Terrorists opened fire with submachine-guns early today on the Lima Sheraton Hotel, where half a dozen Latin American foreign ministers are staying. Witnesses said at least two persons were wounded.

The hotel is the centre of activity for celebrations marking the 150th anniversary of an important battle for independence in latin America. The foreign ministers of Argentina, Chile, Bolivia, Ecuador, Colombia, Venezuela and Panama are staying in the hotel one block from the United States embassy.

Witnesses said the terrorists opened up with sub-machine-gun fire against the heavy police and military guard detail around the hotel, wounding two of the guards, before fleeing in a hail of police gunfire.

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The Provinical Department of Housing invites proposals from developers for the construction of ground-oriented rental accommodation for families through the medium of a three stage submission.

Units proposed for construction should be sited on land owned by the proponent or under option to him in the Greater Vancouver and Lower Mainland Area, or the Greater Victoria Area.

Accepted proposals will be financed during construction and then purchased upon completion.

Proponents need only submit the following preliminary information in STAGE 1.

1. Map indicating site location.
2. Evidence of ownership or control of site.
3. Proposed number and type of units.
4. Existing zoning and planned zoning if available.
5. An approximate unit price.

All proposals, clearly marked "Proposal Call Housing Program" should be submitted to:

Department of Housing,
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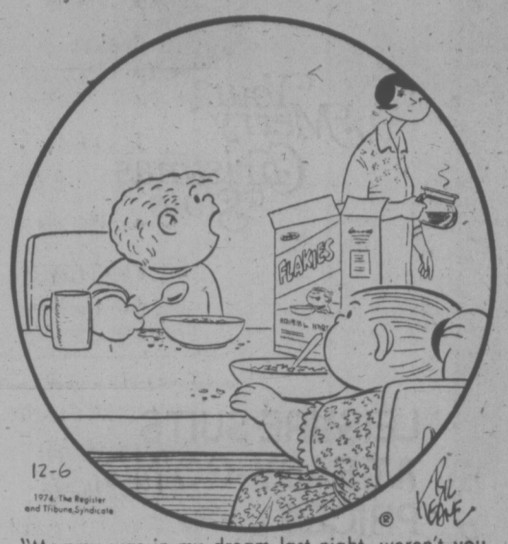

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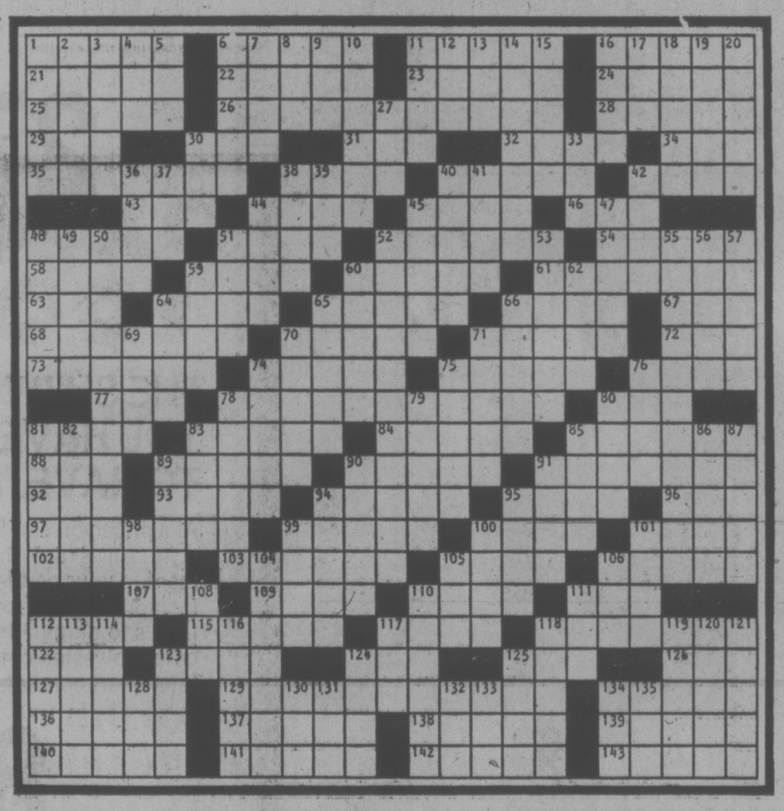

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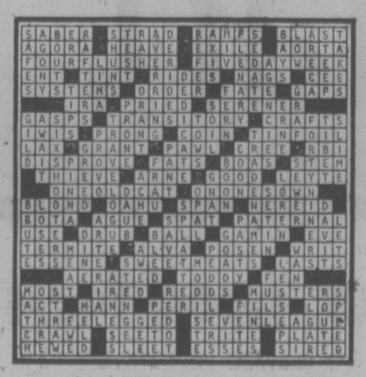

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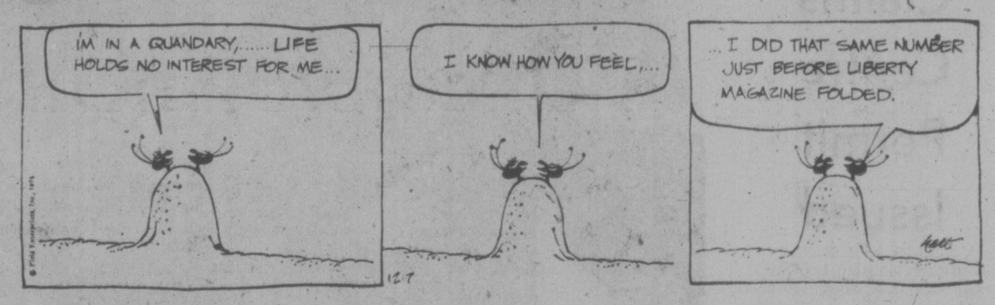

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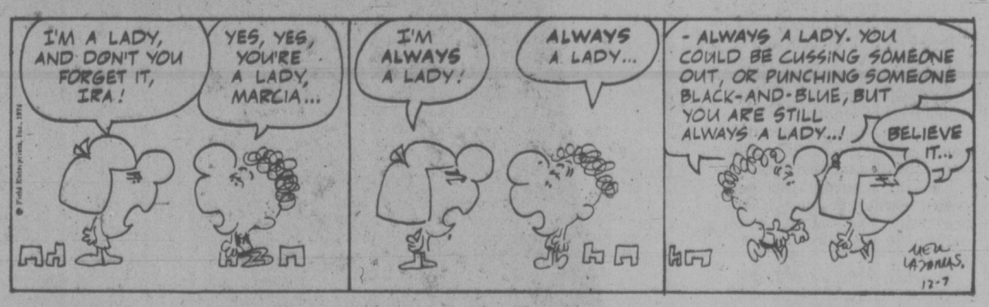

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Rental Work Rises

VANCOUVER (CP) — The office of the provincial rentalsman completed its second month of operations with a marked increase in workload.

Total number of case files handled during November was 1,752 — up 942 from the October volume of 810. Of the 1,752 cases on file, 801 were resolved.

The number of inquiries dropped slightly, from 16,281 during October to 15,872 in November.

Rentalsman Barrie Clark attributed the slight decrease to a shorter month.

Statistics also demonstrate a shift from information inquiries to an increase in actual complaints of contraventions of the Landlord and Tenant Act, he said.

The rentalsman's jurisdiction covers most aspects of a tenancy agreement, and disputes range from security deposits to terminations, from subletting to rights of privacy, to failure by the landlords to provide essential services or repairs.

The rentalsman can redirect rent, instructing tenants to send the money directly to his office to pay for essential services or repairs that the landlord has failed to provide.

Disputes concerning termination of tenancies and applications for orders of possession comprise nearly half of all requests for mediation, Clark said.

"While our statistics are not complete, it seems that nearly 25 per cent of our case files are applications for orders of possessions from landlords wishing to have overholding tenants vacate," he said.

Clark said the establishment of the rent review commission, to review and rule on rent increases, has alleviated some of the information workload on his office.

Claims Centre Permit Issued

VANCOUVER (CP) — Transport Minister Bob Strachan said Thursday the Insurance Corporation of British Columbia has received a building permit for its controversial North Shore claims centre.

Strachan said a permit has been issued by North Vancouver district's municipal building inspector for one of two claims centres originally planned for the north shore.

"I wasn't aware the permit had been issued," Mayor Ron Andrews of North Vancouver said after the announcement. "But there was no reason why that permit could not be issued."

Last Monday, Andrews said the district would continue to withhold the building permits until ICBC committed itself to paying annual municipal taxes on the two centres.

Inspector Bill Hopen said a permit for the claims centre could not be withheld because ICBC owned the site, but the district could withhold a permit for the second centre because part of the site was still owned by the municipality.

He said a permit was not issued earlier because ICBC previously had sought both permits in the same application.

Strachan also warned that accident claims are climbing in B.C.

"There has been a 21-per-cent increase in accidents in the first seven months of this year," he said. "The injuries and deaths this represents is much too high a price to pay for the convenience of the automobile."

In a speech here later in the day, Strachan said he intends to get tough with poor drivers.

He said he is studying a report on the number of drivers in B.C. with more than 40 demerit points to determine what action to take against problem drivers.

Attorney Fired

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Richard Sprague, assistant district attorney who prosecuted the case of former United Mine Workers president Tony Boyle, was fired Thursday for alleged insubordination following a dispute in a case involving the paroling of a man convicted of receiving stolen goods. Sprague, 48, had held the post nearly 12 years. Boyle was found guilty of the murder of UMW dissident Joseph Yablonski and his family.

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By PETER THOMSON
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — The auditors for the Canadian Egg Marketing Ageney (CEMA) have declared that it is doubtful they will be able to offer a "clear certificate" of the agency's financial affairs next year.

In a letter to the Special Commons Committee on egg marketing, Touche Ross and Co. call for extensive changes in CEMA's operating procedures.

And unless the changes are instituted within three months, the auditors say, it is impossible to guarantee a normal approval of CEMA financial operations.

The auditors say it is essential that all provinces use uniform procedures" in accounting for the levy paid by producers to cover surplus egg removal and the actual surplus removal.

The auditors urge that uniform procedures be followed up with "Some method of enforcement and strong penalties."

They urge that the law be amended to enable CEMA to control the number of hens.

"As it is now," the auditors says, "the law only gives control of marketing."

The auditor's letter, demands that provinces be required to keep records that clearly identify eggs that were produced within provincial quotas, and those produced over-quota.

"To have records and operation properly controlled," the auditors add, "there should be much more direct management and planning at least six months ahead.

"Preferably strong central control with clearly defined responsibility for planning, co-ordination, control, operation and performance," is necessary to have CEMA keep its affairs in order.

The auditor's letter arrived as a last-minute bombshell into committee proceedings.

The committee had completed its hearings and is preparing its report which is scheduled for Dec. 16.

Explaining why they were unable to express an opinion on CEMA reports for 1973, or the first six months of 1974, the auditors say: "provincial accounting systems were not set up to control and collect the levy or keep track of the surplus production of eggs."

"The inventory records of the agency were innacurate and not up to date at the time of our examination and we had to work from the agency's files to determine the location of the inventory.

"These records are still not up to date nor have they been corrected," the auditors wrote on Oct. 24.

"There were several locations where eggs were stored and not examined by us because the locations were not known to us or the agency at the time of examination," the letter adds.

CAROL SHEETS

The Times annual Christmas Carol song sheet supplement, this year co-sponsored by the B.C. Auto Association, will appear with Monday's edition of the paper.

Any clubs or organizations wishing to order extra copies for their Christmas parties are asked to phone the Circulation Department at 382-3131.

Slump Prods Ford Into Policy Review

Times News Services

WASHINGTON — President Ford's administration is reviewing the worsening economic situation in the United States and may ask Congress for new anti-recession legislation.

White House press secretary Ron Nessen said the unemployment rate of 6.5 per cent is "a source of great concern" to Ford.

"As we decide to take new steps they will be announced," Nessen said.

In addition to the economic reviewers Ford, recognizing that voluntary energy conservation measures have proved inadequate, has ordered a full-scale energy review looking toward more stringent controls next year.

Nessen said that a series of planning sessions is under way to prepare recommendations for the President.

The President will announce his decisions in his State of the Union message in mid-January, or sooner, Nessen said.

The moves to find new answers to the energy problem plus the announcement that unemployment has reached 6.5 per cent sooner than the administration expected appeared to herald a shift of emphasis toward White House intervention in the economy.

No administration source would indicate what specific steps might be taken to restimulate the economy. But both Treasury Secretary, William E. Simon and Economic Council Chairman Alan Greenspan are on the record as preferring a tax cut to increased expenditures, because a tax cut, in theory, is more easily reversible.

Meanwhile, the Federal Reserve Board Friday took action to counter the recession. It lowered to 7.75 from eight per cent the rate of interest it charges banks for borrowing in the New York and philadelphia districts.

The action, which probably will spread to the other reserve districts around the country, makes it easier for banks to borrow the money they need to lend to other sectors of the economy.

It was the strongest move so far in the board's effort to ease the money supply.

The unemployment rate, now at its highest level since 1961, is expected to continue to increase.

Reacting to the unemployment statistics, the New York Stock Exchange closed at a 12-year low.

HE GOT SMASHED

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — A wine lover paid $380 for a bottle of vintage port today — then accidentally smashed it a few minutes later on the front steps of a hotel.

Businessman John Nader had just won a spirited bidding duel for the bottle of 1922 port at a wine auction.

Bystanders said he shouted with dismay as the bottle slipped through his fingers.

He fled, carrying the only reminder of his $380 investment — the broken piece of bottle bearing the label.

Langford 'accident' scene draws lots of attention

Head-On Highway Lesson

Passing motorists gaped at a gory-looking accident on the Trans-Canada Highway Friday while police, ambulance crew and by-standers kidded around in the drizzling rain.

A nurse passing in her car stopped to offer assistance, but it was politely turned down by the RCMP . . . with thanks.

As the blood-spattered body of a heavy-set young man was carried to a waiting ambulance, one of the crew puffing under the weight joked: "You would have to get the whole rugby team."

The blood on the bodies was a mixture of glycerine and food coloring. The two smashed up cars in the head-on crash were on loan from the junkyard of the Insurance Corporation of B.C. and nobody was really hurt at all.

The "accident" was staged by the Colwood RCMP and students from Belmont-Fisher secondary school in Langford as a project for Safe-Driving Week. Pictures taken of the accident will be made into collage posters for distribution in the community.

The two students who set up the project, Dan Willis and Dale Davies, timed the ambulance crew from the Langford volunteer fire department. It took only five minutes for the crew to arrive at the accident scene — the volunteers knew of the project, but did not know what time they would be called.

After 26 minutes, all four "bodies" were extricated from the wreck and deposited in the back of the waiting ambulance.

The accident "toll": one dead, three critically injured.

The RCMP constables, Wayne Wooldrige and Don Forth, and the ambulance workers, Roy Mills and Pete Boudreau, went quietly and efficiently about their work, with explanations on the side to the students and other bystanders.

Before the call to the ambulance crew, Belmont-Fisher performing arts instructor Adrian Javis dabbed "blood" on the students — Perry Chow, Candy McMaster, Dave Wallace and Terry Armstrong —eliciting even more stares from drivers who had to slow down to pass the wrecks.

Bus Kills Man

VANCOUVER (CP) — Andy Garbays, 43, of Vancouver was killed Saturday when he was run over by a B.C. hydro bus on a downtown street.

Meddling Charge Riles Gati

By LIZ HUGHES
Times Staff

Victoria Symphony musical director Lazlo Gati has asked for an emergency meeting with the board of directors to discuss a charge that he is interfering in administrative affairs.

Gati has asked that the meeting be held before Dec. 15 and some symphony society directors say they "presume" the meeting will be granted although no date has yet been set.

Meanwhile, there may be a growing movement among the symphony's membership to hold a general membership meeting to discuss the internal problems.

Gati said Friday he had asked for the meeting because he wanted to know what position the board was taking on the opinion expressed in a newspaper last week by society president Madge Ronahan that Gati "should be containing his efforts to the artistic side."

The conductor said he will find out the board's position "and then judge what my position will be."

Asked if he was considering leaving the symphony, Gati said: "If this mess cannot be sorted out, then one of my alternatives could be to leave."

The "mess" Gati referred to has been brewing for some time and has resulted in the resignation of two of the directors, Murray Adaskin and Arthur Irwin. Both expressed disagreement with the management of symphony affairs.

A third director, Times Publisher Stuart Underhill, also resigned, giving business pressures as his reason.

At a board of directors meeting last week, A. E. Salter said he had never in his life sat on a committee "that has so much nitpicking and backbiting."

Gati said Friday he felt he had been publicly attacked by Miss Ronahan, but said he was not yet ready to defend himself publicly.

He expressed hope that the "mess" could be sorted out by the society's directors and that "we can fix up the house and then do what we are supposed to be doing.

"I'm not here to fight," he said, "I'm here to be a musical conductor. This (situation) is not conducive to a peaceful environment."

Symphony directors contacted Friday would make no comment on the proposed meeting with Gati.

One director, who did not want his name used, said the meeting was "a clear-the-air meeting."

President Ronahan said any comments on behalf of the board of directors would have to come from director Maurice Johnson who is also the board's honorary solicitor.

Johnson said he presumed a meeting would be held, but did not know when.

He said he felt whatever problems the symphony was experiencing could be solved and that the problems were "healthy."

He said the problems were a sign of progress and "it shows we are not a moribund society."

"Whenever you have someone in an operation who has fire, ambition, like a good

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MINERS ASKED TO PROTEST

British Columbia miners recently laid off have been invited to Victoria Monday to join a demonstration against the provinical government, United Steelworkers of America local 1012 president Ken Levy said today.

Levy said the 63 miners who lost their jobs at Jordan River this week would appear at the Langford welfare office at 10 a.m. Monday.

"It is a demonstration, not a demand for welfare. We want jobs and we feel the government has let us down," Levy said.

The 350 miners laid off Friday at Granduc mine 100 miles north of Prince Rupert have been invited to join the demonstration on Monday, Levy said.

Jordan River Mines was unable to meet its final payday on Friday, defaulting on about $63,000 on wages, according to a union estimate.

Last payday for the miners was Nov. 23 for the first two weeks in November.

Levy said the union has placed a lien against Jordan River Mines for back pay but has little hope of receiving any money in less than a year because the assets have been seized by Pechiney Development, which holds a $2 million debenture.

Levy said the men were taking their battle to the provincial government because they had become convinced taxation policies were leading to mine closures.

First demonstration, he said, would be a mass turnout to the Langford welfare office at 921 Goldstream.

The men will also seek a meeting Monday with Mines Minster Leo Nimsick.

He stressed that the men wanted work, not welfare, but added the miners faced a bleak Christmas.

A change in the government's attitude toward the mining industry was needed or further closures would follow, he warned.

"The mining industry in British Columbia is dying and the forest industry is coming right behind it."

He said no one in the government has showed concern for the miners.

The men were going to the Langford welfare office because it was directly operated by the provincial government's department of human resources.

The turnout would be orderly but large enough to bring the plight of the workers to the attention of the government, Levy said.

He did not know how many of the Granduc miners would be able to make it in time for the demonstration Monday.

DRIVEN TO DRINK

VANCOUVER (CP) — Men in remote areas of British Columbia are driven to drink by boredom and sexual frustration, according to preliminary results of a provincial government study on health care in rural areas.

E. I. Signori, a University of B.C. psychologist who is co-ordinating the study, said climate, a male-female imbalance and the psychological makeup of the population contribute to the problem.

He said the average expenditure on alcohol is $250 a person in northern B.C. compared with about $150 in the lower mainland.

Signori presented the statistics at a seminar here on health care in Canada.

He said the average year-round temperature in the north is five degrees lower than in the lower mainland.

"We have some hard-nosed experimental evidence that when the temperature decreases, sexual interest rises," he said, adding that there are 20,000 more males than females in the north.

The population has a high proportion of workers whose "interest patterns involve aggressive and pugnacious pursuits" for which the north does not offer suitable outlets, he said.

Signori said the resulting expression of sexuality includes things like love of travel, movies and drinking.

The kind of activities most suitable to the area, reading and individual hobbies, are just the opposite of the kind of things most of the people want, he said.

"Otherwise we could just ship in a lot of books," he said.

'Glorified Indian Agent'

VANCOUVER (CP) — Frank Calder, a maverick NDP member of the British Columbia legislature and an Indian leader, Friday criticized the hiring of Frank Howard, a former NDP MP as a special consultant on Indian matters for the provincial government.

"Howard will just be a glorified Indian agent and we're sick to death of Indian agents," Calder said in an interview.

"I'm sorry Frank Howard, a good friend of mine, accepted the position.

"He must be hard up."

Howard's appointment, at $30,000 a year, was announced earlier this week.

Calder, fired by Premier Dave Barrett last year from the post of minister without portfolio for Indian affairs, said "I'm rather disgusted with Premier Dave Barrett.

"There must be something wrong with the guy — and you can quote me on that too," he said.

Also reacting to the Howard appointment, the president of the British Columbia Association of Non-Status Indians criticized the provincial government for disregarding its requests to be treated like other citizens.

Fred House said in an interview here that the association has told Barrett and his cabinet it does not want a provincial minster of Indian affairs, but wishes to deal directly with government departments.

Makarios Declares Amnesty

NICOSIA (AP)—Archbishop Makarios returned to Cyprus today after five months of exile and in a dramatic balcony appearance told a roaring crowd of 200,000 he would grant amnesty to the men who plotted his overthrow as president.

A large section of the throng screamed its disapproval, chanting "EOKA-B murderers, try then, try them."

But Makarios held out his hands appealing for quiet, then said:

"Please, please. I absolve them of all sin and grant them an amnesty in the hope that this will bring about the desired concord and unity of our people."

Turkish and United Nations troops were on an alert across the island, ready to combat any outbreaks of guerrilla violence.

The exiled archbishop arrived at the British airbase at Akrotiri in southern Cyprus just before 10 a.m. and met for an hour with Luis Weckmann-Munoz of Mexico, special representative of U.N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim.

Then he flew by helicopter to the capital, where large crowds packed the streets in a wild, horn-blowing, shouting welcome.

WORDPLAY

Send your own WORDPLAY, care of this newspaper.

Bad Tidings for Rail Towns

Times News Services

The mayors of a dozen communities along the B.C. Railway from Squamish to Fort St. John want to meet Labor Minister Bill King in an effort to end the strike against the government-operated line before an already-grim economic situation gets worse.

With two weeks left before Christmas, Quesnel and Lillooet are beginning to look like ghost towns.

Unemployment in Quesnel is estimated at 50 per cent of the labor force. And in Lillooet, the figure could go as high as 75 per cent. The number of people out of work has been caused largely by mill closures in both towns and aggravated by the B.C. Railway strike, soon to enter its third week.

Mayor Ceal Tingley says Quesnel is in a recession.

"It's a serious situation," the mayor said.

"At least half of the total working force is unemployed and firms are going out of business.

"One auto sales agency went out of business, two real estate agencies have closed, two finance offices have closed, one shopping plaza has closed to evening trade and some merchants tell me they're down as much as 60 per cent.

"We run a motel and my wife gets a dozen phone calls every day from people wanting work."

Tingley said the B.C. rail strike comes at a bad time and could bring further mill closures and greater unemployment if it isn't stopped soon.

He and Mayor Jim Fraser of Williams Lake have organized the mayors of towns all along the line and they want King to stop it in a hurry.

But King said in an interview Friday in Victoria he has no immediate plans to intervene in the strike.

He said the disruption "is part of the dynamics of the collective bargaining system."

Fraser says his town will start hurting if the strike continues another two weeks.

Then, he said, there will be "drastic effects" on B.C.'s economy.

"My concern is that from Squamish to Fort St. John, the mills will be forced to shut down. They can only stockpile for so long. Then, chances are, they'll be closed through to spring breakup."

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White-Collared Job, Knuckles to Match

Perhaps it's the sign above the door that finally does it but you walk through and it's all around you — fear.

The sign proclaims "Driver Examination" and everyone hates examinations. And you didn't really want to come in the first place.

But there you are. So you line up at the counter and someone hands you a form and tells you to "fill in the white part" and when it's done a voice says "we'll call you."

Suddenly you're so alone

Then you squeeze between two sad faces that line the walls and sit and fidget. You try to read the Road Code once again to make sure you know all the answers. But that's no good. You really can't see the words and you're quite sure anyway that you don't know any of the answers.

You should have stayed at home.

Behind the form-wielding woman, you can see applicants sitting at little school-like desks, struggling to answer the written part of the test. They don't look any happier than you feel.

"We'll call you," the voice tells another hopeful and dispatches him toward the wall. And you sit there cursing because you have to wait so long; and at the same time hoping that it certainly isn't you they'll call next.

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Along with waiting in a dentist's reception room, preparing for a driving examination is probably one of the most nerve-wracking things you can do. Ask Glen Standen, assistant chief examiner at the Menzies Street Motor Vehicle office, and he'll tell you he's seen people taking their test, sitting with their feet on the clutch and brake pedals "and their legs are bouncing up and down, they are so nervous."

But what of the examiners — there are nine in the Victoria office including supervisor Bill Harbar, who has been there 20 years — what of the men who have to venture out in cars with many who are nervous novices? Aren't they nervous, too, sometimes? Sure, says Robert Whitlock, deputy superintendent of motor vehicles. Many examiners have nervous conditions and, in fact, quite often trainee examiners have to drop out because they just can't take it.

Quite recently in Nova Scotia, an examiner had a driver-applicant die of a heart attack at the wheel one morning and that afternoon a woman taking her test drove him off the road and on to the middle of someone's lawn. That evening at a social function a woman accused the examiner: "You civil servants have an easy life!"

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Right now, Standen sits behind a desk and with his boss, chief examiner Glen Barter, handles the administration of the driver testing program. But Standen, who has been with the Motor Vehicle Branch 15 years, spent six years on the road as an examiner and he knows what it's like. He says the worst fault is failure to pay enough attention to pedestrians and other cars at crossings and tells of the time when he was taking a young woman for her test in a mini. "She pulled up at the crossing, looked left, looked right and looked left again and then proceeded to cross in front of a huge lumber truck! I had to jam my foot on the brake pedal and stopped just in time. How she didn't see it I'll never know."

Of course, there have been many other harrowing incidents experienced by Victoria examiners. One had an elderly driver die of a heart attack while the car was going down a steep hill; and another car rolled over during a test and went down a bank into someone's yard. And over in Vancouver once, a driver taking his test crashed his vehicle right through the wall of one of the motor vehicle offices. But this kind of thing doesn't happen as much any more. The examiners have been told to take control of the car if an accident looks imminent. And says Standen, most examiners have had to do this.

There are four reasons for immediate disqualification: violation of the laws (breaking the speed limit, etc.), refusal to perform (if a driver says he can't or won't do part of the road test), causing an accident, even though not necessarily being involved in it (if, say, a driver swerves to avoid you and smashes into another car) and dangerous action (if, for example, a pedestrian has to scamper to get out of your way). When an applicant does any of these things, the rest of the test is abandoned. "Of course, Standen grinned, "the examiner doesn't tell the driver right then that he has failed. He just says turn right, then left or whatever he has to in order to return to the testing station — otherwise the applicant would be upset and might have another accident on the way back."

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What do they look for when choosing an examiner A background in driving helps, points out Whitlock "and we quite often get a few ex-bus drivers apply." The ideal examiner must be pleasant under some harrowing conditions and be able to tell people what they did wrong in a manner they will accept.

Many drivers just don't want to accept the fact that they're not ready to drive safely on the road, says Standen. "We had a man in Williams Lake who has failed five times but keeps coming back, so the examiners there sent his application form down to our head office. We told him to take professional driving instruction before applying again. He did. And he's just failed again!" Standen points out that it's a matter of attitude. "Nine out of 10 people can learn to drive if they have proper instruction and will only pay attention," he says.

Appearance, says Whitlock, is another thing to consider when choosing an examiner. "People judge a man by his appearance and his facial expressions. We've had competent examiners who have been accused of being harsh or stern but, by the number they pass, they are not."

In many people's minds, an examiner assumes the guise of an ogre. He is the only thing standing between them and the freedom to drive off into the sunset. But the examiner is caught in the middle. As Standen puts it: If the examiner disqualifies a driver, for something the driver himself has done wrong, he's a real stinker; if he passes someone, he's a real nice guy."

And, as you walk downstairs to the crowded little room where it's busy, busy as always and look in at the sadness and apprehension that lines the walls, Standen's final words echo in your head ". . . we are here to serve the public, not to scare hell out of the guy trying to get his licence."

John McKay Photos

Examiner George Bricker and Eldon Miller . . . double tension

Student Housing Needs Studied

Trends in student housing at the University of Victoria will be the subject of a study initiated by the Universities Council of B.C.

Planning consultants Graham Brawn and Associates Ltd. of Vancouver have been hired by the council to analyse housing trends at the provinces three universities — UVic, University of B.C. and Simon Fraser University.

Consultant Jim Marunchak said Friday the study will determine what percentage of students entering the university community are single, married, married with families, or single parents, and thereby isolate the type of housing which should be built.

Shirley Baker, manager of UVic's housing services department, said definite trends in student housing preference has been evident over the past five years.

"We've found that many, many people come back to our residences. Not everybody is anxious to cook his own meals in his own place," she said.

Sher said the demand for on-campus accommodation is increasing every year, partly because of an increase in the student population but also "because it's easier for someone on a fixed budget to live in a residence and know from the start how much he will spend."

The on-campus housing demand has also been helped along by changes in residence-living.

"There used to be restrictions in residences that have now been done away with," Mrs. Baker said.

Irving Strickland Photo

Sam Spence and his $6,000 'pathological crematorium'

19 Groups Get $322,687 From Latest L.I.P. Grants

Nineteen Local Initiative Program grants totalling $322,687 have been approved in the Victoria area by the department of manpower and immigration.

The projects, which vary from rehabilitation of existing houses to organization of a neighborhood activities centre, will create 2,349 weeks of employment throughout the winter.

A breakdown of individual projects and their finances follows:

—Victoria West Life Skills, $21,290, six jobs to organize a "life skills" program for youth increasing personal awareness in interpersonal relations, family life, leisure time, community development and responsibilities and employment.

—Tapes for the Blind and Handicapped, $10,686, three jobs, to provide a taping service for technical books, magazines and material requested for the blind and handicapped.

—Victoria Volunteer Bureau, $17,912, five jobs; a pilot project to co-ordinate the needs of local service agencies with members of the community who wish to become volunteers.

—Fernwood Neighborhood Centre, $17,810, five jobs, to organize neighborhood activities including the survey of community needs, the upgrading of local newsletter and operation of a drop-in centre.

—Winter Recreational and Educational Fun Program, $21,372, six jobs, to organize recreational and educational activities for native Indian students including skating, swimming, dances and tutoring service for elementary grades.

—Curriculum Audio Tape, $10,677, three jobs, to provide cassette tapes of elementary school curriculum geared for students who have reading difficulties.

—Rehabilitation Preservation Project, $20,585, seven jobs, to rehabilitate existing houses in the James Bay area, and provide duplex and triplex accommodation for rent to low-income families.

—Discovery, $17,810, five jobs, to organize art classes for children between the ages of two to 12 years at the Emily Carr Arts Centre with extension programs in Sidney.

—Kaleidoscope, $32,708, nine jobs, to provide a cultural awareness program for children through the production of plays theatre workshops and visits to community cultural centres.

—Open Space, $21,363, six jobs to expand services of Open Space, to include the organization of the B.C. Winter Festival and develop a media resource program covering artistic events.

—YM-YWCA Outdoor Education Resources, $14,248, four jobs, to organize various activities in outdoor education including an outdoor education kit for youth and schools and a farm project at Camp Thunderbird.

—Archives Research; $17,810, five jobs to research the records of the B.C. Land Investment Agency including the cateloguing and examination of the financial side of the firm's history.

—Community Service Survey, $19,728, six jobs to conduct a survey identifying existing social recreational and educational services and assess the gaps in these services for the Oak Bay area.

—Program of Newton Recreation Society, $10,686, three jobs, to promote family as well as adult and children's recreation in Victoria.

—Pathways for People, $12,489, four jobs, to provide a program assisting mental patients and those with emotional probelms in areas of education, recreation and community orientation. A housing registry and accommodation service will also be provided.

—Recreation Outreach, $13,134, four jobs, to provide extended recreational programs for senior citizens and youth.

—Portable Large Muscle Equipment for Sundance Elementary School, $15,529, six jobs, to design and construct portable exercise equipment.

Health Care for Seniors, $9,453, three jobs to provide preventive health care training for senior citizens including nutrition, home nursing, personal health and hygiene.

—The Old Millstream Music Company, $17,947, six jobs, to provide live entertainment of old time music to elderly patients in hospitals, nursing homes and old-age homes.

Ask The Times

Q. Does the drain tile (which collect the rain water around the house) connect up with the storm drain or does this connect to a separate line leading to the catch basins which are at the end and middle of the curbing. This pertains to Saanich municipality.

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A. There is no uniform storm drain system in Saanich, and there are many nonconforming systems used in different parts of the municipality. Contact the Saanich engineering department giving your exact address and they can provide the information for that area.

The Times endeavors to answer questions of general public interest in this column. Personal replies to queries will not be made.

Questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums or legal problems.

Nor will it attempt to put a value on coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.

Everything Isn't Tickety-Boo on Way to Pet Heaven

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

As the little old lady walks weeping out of the veterinarian's surgery she takes a last look at the dog who has been her faithful companion for years.

Then, outside, a thought strikes her. She turns to the receptionist and asks what happens after the animal is put down.

Reassuringly, she is told: "Don't you worry about a thing. Leave everything to us, dear, we'll do what has to be done."

That sort of scene is a several-times-daily occurrence in veterinary clinics all over Greater Victoria, says dog breeder and kennel owner Sam Spence, and the comforting words do seem to achieve the desired effect.

"Some people think as soon as they've left he (the vet) presses a button, a hole opens up in the floor and — bingo — the dog's in heaven and everything's neat and clean and tidy."

But what actually happens in most cases, after the animal is destroyed, is somewhat different. As Spence put it: "The owners would be pretty shocked and sickened if they knew the bodies were just dumped on the garbage truck."

For both practical reasons of hygiene and on ethical grounds, Sam Spence and his wife Carrie deplore the practice, which is why they have opened Vancouver Island's first pet crematorium, on their 3½-acre property at 60 Highland Road.

The impressive-looking piece of equipment, 18 feet high with a towering stack, had to be ordered from a firm in West Virginia at a cost of about $6,000.

It's specially made for the job — a "pathological crematorium," as Spence explained — propane-fired, generates 350,000 BTUs in the burning chamber and can reduce a 60-pound carcass to fine, powdery ash in one hour.

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Spence claims it's smokeless and odor-free, although red tape formalities delayed a pollution permit for close to seven months.

Since the couple started operating the service last September they have signed up three veterinary clinics and the recently-opened Central Victoria Veterinary Hospital as clients.

But that still leaves a number of veterinary establishments that favor disposal via the garbage dump, he says.

His standard charge for the service is $10 per load collected from the clinics. For private customers whose pets have died from illness or in a road accident, it's $25 for an animal up to 50 pounds and proportionately more for heavier pets. An 80-pound Samoyed, for example, would cost $30.

Owners receive a miniature urn containing the ashes. Attached to the neck of the urn is a little card bearing the animal's name and the inscription "Faithful to the end."

The Spences laugh and shake their heads when a reporter asks if they aspire to a full-blown pets' funeral parlor. But they have heard of someone in Eastern Canada who provides all the frills, including elaborate miniature coffins, and whose fees start at around $300.

What happens, though, if an eccentric pet-mourner requests a form of funeral service — bearing in mind religious beliefs that animals have no souls? Again, Spence shrugs. But he doesn't dismiss the notion entirely.

Their main concern is with providing a quick, efficient and hygienic disposal system for dead animals; one that won't offend their owners' sensibilities.

Said Mrs. Spence: "Long before we had the cremation equipment we discovered what a problem this was. We used to have people phone us in tears, wondering what to do with animals that had died. For an old person living alone in an apartment it's a real problem."

Her husband said they did consider setting aside a portion of their property as a pet cemetery, but dismissed the idea as impractical because "the family might want to bring flowers and have a Sunday picnic round the dog's grave."

Both feel strongly that treating animal corpses as just so much garbage reflects primitive thinking for an advanced country like Canada, and say the practice should be condemned on health considerations alone.

But city engineer Jim Garnett disagrees that it is unhygienic. At all times, from collection, to dumping in trailers at the city garbage wharf on Herald Street and finally to delivery at the Hartland Road garbage dump, the carcasses are kept covered, he said.

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And as soon as the loads arrive at the dump their contents are buried by bulldozers. "The whole procedure is entirely sanitary," Garnett insisted.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, which destroys more than 30 dogs every week, makes its own regular disposal run to the city's garbage wharf.

SPCA manager Dave Beeching said five or six years ago the society proposed building its own cremation plant at a cost of about $10,000, but asked the city of Victoria to share 50-50 the estimated operating cost of about $200 per month.

"The city turned it down flat."

With the organization facing an $8,000 operating loss this year, it has no alternative but to continue its present practice, he said.

WEEK'S RANGE AT VANCOUVER

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chge
MINES					
Aalen	6000	16	16	16	−2
Ab Mris	775	11	11	11	+1
Achron	8000	13	13	13	− ½
Aex	300	167	166	166	−3
Afton	200	245	245	245	
Alefe	8500	23	22	23	
Anchor	3500	3	3	3	
Anglo Bo	11500	54	46	54	+3
Arcdia	4000	20	20	20	+2
Aroden	369600	75	41	50	−25
Avino	6250	30	27	27	
Balfour	r100	20	17	19	+1
Barier R	11300	107	102	102	−3
Bath N	6000	85	81	81	−1
Bow Rvr	6000	25	23	23	
Brend	5500	10	10	10	
Bmac	7000	17	16	17	−1
Bullion	1000	6	6	6	−1
BX Dev	9243	75	68	68	−7
Calivd	r250	13	13	13	
C Barr	3000	26	25	25	−1
Canol	500	30	30	30	+5
Canwx	7000	22	17	21	−2
Car Bell	1000	3	3	3	
Caroiin	20200	210	192	207	+13
Casino	6000	18	17	18	+1
Celtic	2000	7	7	7	
Chanda	1500	50	45	50	
Charta	20000	11	11	11	−2
Chrmx	9000	47	45	45	+1
Citex	6000	3½	3	3	
Colby	90700	208	191	206	+4
Colt Ltd	1600	38	37	37	−1½
C Bamf	47500	33	28	30	−1
Con Ct Sl	2000	11	11	11	
Cons Col	r80	7	7	7	−3
C Ftn Ch	33000	10½	10	10½	− ½
C Stndrd	23000	11	5	11	+6
Con Trn	500	8	8	8	
Copr Lk	500	5	5	5	
Coralta	15000	25	25	25	+1
Cutlass	10000	22	19	20	
Cypres	9000	45	40	40	−2
Dankoe	1100	200	200	200	
Del Var	6000	17	17	17	
Eagle R	2000	5	5	5	
Enex	800	20	20	20	
Equat	1000	9½	9½	9½	
Exeter	2500	11	11	11	−1
Fosco	2500	11	11	11	
Geo Dyn	12000	16½	15	15	
Giant Ex	6500	5	5	5	
Gnt Mas	1000	45	45	45	
Gbritar	1000	490	490	490	
Gladiat	5000	10	9	9	−2
G Gate	4000	21	20	20	−2
Gld Rvr	1500	24	23	23	+2
Grando	76000	62	25½	56	−6
Grn Eag	86500	26	11	22	−3
Gsa Res	1104	68	60	68	
Gunn	650	17½	15	17½	− ½
Hallark	2500	40	37	40	+5
Hrt Rvr	1000	5	5	5	
Henriet	1000	20	19	20	
Hib Intl	7000	20	18	18	−1
Hihawk	7000	15	15	15	
Ice Stat	500	7	7	7	
Ipsp Met	2000	18	18	18	+2
Initial	1900	15	15	15	
Jackpt	7000	8	8	8	−1
Jason X	500	3	3	3	
Jersey	1000	10	10	10	
Joy Ind	2500	51	50	50	−1
Kaico	4500	8	7	8	
Kamad	34000	23	12	14	
Kindx	5500	72	68	70	−5
Laguna	4000	11	11	11	
Largo	1500	5	5	5	
Larsng	1500	8½	8½	8½	
Laura	4000	11	10	10	
Lemac	3000	8	8	8	
Leisure	7500	24	24	24	−1
Lexton	2000	20	10	10	
Lon Cr	2000	20	10	10	
Lori E	10000	17½	17½	17½	− ½
M M Prc	2500	17	16	16	
Makao	5000	6	6	6	− ½
Mrl Mtn	3000	4	4	4	
Mt Wash	2000	4½	4½	4½	− ½
Nadina	500	11	11	11	
Newyn	2500	9	9	9	
Nthair	5450	180	175	175	
North Isl	1000	5	5	5	
N Home	700	5	3	5	
Nuspar	z100	16	16	16	
Oxbow	4500	28½	26	26	−4
Pcifc Rs	3100	250	240	245	
Pegsus	11400	42	37	37	
Perry R	1500	165	163	165	
Poe Lke	2000	5	5	5	
Primer	37500	12	10	11½	− ½
Pyrmid	z200	3	3	3	−2
Qtsino	500	4	4	4	
Rio Plat	2500	24	22½	22½	−2½
Riviera	1500	8	8	8	
Robert	3000	10	10	10	
Sabina	3000	53	51	51	−1
Seaforh	1000	25	25	25	−4
Sheba	10000	15	14½	15	
Shld Dev	500	50	50	50	−1
Sicintin	3000	11½	10	10	−1
Sir Rdge	1000	4	4	4	
S Spring	3000	31	30	30	
S Stndrd	13600	92	87	90	−1
Skast	63785	33½	28	31	−2
Soneste	42000	34	27	27	−7
Thor Ex	10500	222	200	210	−13
Trwest	6000	7	5	7	
Torngn	6000	25	20	20	−5
Tyee	6000	4	3½	4	
Westid	500	7	7	7	
Vally Cu	100	410	410	410	
Voltri	2250	8	6	8	+ ½
Veco Rs	21000	24	22	23	+3
W Buff	1000	2	2	2	
W Mines	1400	207	206	207	
W Ring H	1250	65	63	65	+7
Wharf	5000	41	41	41	
Whipsw	1000	8	8	8	−1
Ykn Rev	2000	23	23	23	
Yukn Gd	10500	32	31	31	+1
Warrants and Rights					
BX A	11400	.25	.21	.21	−.03
INDUSTRIALS					
BBC Un	150	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	− ⅛
Block	500	350	350	350	
BC Turf	400	$6	5½	5½	
C Jvln	4600	$7½	7½	7½	− ⅛
Comput	1000	21	20	20	
Cor Ind	600	410	405	405	−10
Crstwd	5100	75	70	75	
Domen	1387	470	460	470	+10
EDP Ind	4000	5	5	5	
Fst Cty	500	$4¾	4¾	4¾	
Genstr	1700	$14¾	14¾	14¾	
Grouse	5400	101	100	100	−5
Hys Cde	100	320	320	320	
I Hydro	1100	35	35	35	
Ionarc	8000	26	25	25	
IU Intl	200	$8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	− ⅛
Joly Jpr	z400	12	12	12	
Keg Res	500	80	80	80	
Madill	100	$7½	7½	7½	
Nwmrk	1500	50	50	50	−2
Ok Hold	z60	$5	5	5	
PN Gas	300	200	200	200	
Potter	300	350	350	350	
Q Bdcst	1000	330	330	330	
Sertoge	100	350	350	350	
Wardr	1100	140	130	140	+5
Wdwrd	z124	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	
Warrants and Rights					
Bbc Wt	100	140	140	140	
OILS					
Alsk K	15500	10	10	10	
August	3132	12½	10	12½	+ ½
Bison	6200	420	420	420	
C Hdgs	1100	105	100	100	−16
Clonial	5500	45	40	40	
Concpt	200	200	200	200	
Cop Ex	3000	13½	13½	13½	
Coseka	400	133	133	133	
Davnpt	17167	58	56	58	−2
Davoil	3500	22	17	20	
Five Str	5000	3½	3½	3½	− ½
Frehld	1690	47	40	40	−2
Galvstn	6700	116	112	114	−1
Pan Ocn	100	550	550	550	−60
Pyrite	8000	18½	16	16	−2½
Plains P	z480	7	7	7	
Pondry	1000	39	39	39	
Prince	1000	13	13	13	−1
Rand A	49000	80	74	74	
Seneca	14000	80	78	80	−1
Skat Res	1800	50	45	50	
Stampd	9000	52	52	52	−1
Sunlite	800	200	200	200	−30
Wms Gd	5100	6	6	6	
Vancouver Curb Exchange					
Abaca	19200	52	46	47	−3
Alice Ar	1000	4	4	4	+ ¼
Ang Wst	1000	3	3	3	
Athena	23000	4	4	4	
Avinch	6000	106	100	106	+6
Ball	9000	26	26	26	−2
Bermst	295500	61	56	60	+1
Bimorl	3500	20	20	20	+1
Benpel	100				
Bev Cal	2000	4	4	4	
Bnvsta	3000	33	31	31	−2
Boru	1000	10½	10½	10½	− ½
Br Pac	19000	5½	5½	5½	
Cadet	1000	30	30	30	
CXH	4000	25	25	25	
Cedr Cty	15500	40	38	38	−2
Chingr	1500	24	22	22	
Chafm	5000	2½	2½	2½	
Clayme	9000	24	24	24	
Cst Int	500	15	15	15	−1
Comnd	2000	5	5	5	
Cone	1000	10	10	10	
Con Clev	3600	3	3	3	
Con Mon	11000	29	24	25	−6
Dasher	6500	31	29	31	+3
Deans	500	70	70	70	
Decade	2000	28½	25	28½	+2½
Diana	500	18	18	18	−1
Envoy	16000	15	11	15	
Espina	500	25	25	25	
GBS	4000	35	33	35	
Genfry	3100	14	10	10	−5
Geoqus	1500	75	70	70	
Grangr	500	21	21	21	
Grt Bear	3000	5	5	5	
High Str	6000	17	17	17	−1
Hitec	5000	7	7	7	
Hoko	1500	49	45	49	
Host	36500	34	30	31½	−3½
Jet	3000	60	59	59	
Junex	2000	8	8	8	
Kndahr	4500	15	12	14	
Keith	1000	5	5	5	
Kelmnt	500	25	25	25	−5
Mark V	11700	115	100	110	−13
Matado	7500	6	5½	6	+1
Mcleod	1500	6	6	6	
Mid Wst	1250	12	12	12	
Mns Der	1000	40	40	40	
Mndee	20500	20	16	16	
New Den	1000	10	10	10	
NMX	3000	40	40	40	
Nomad	2000	15	15	15	
N Valy	2000	14	14	14	
Olymp	3000	34	34	34	+1
Ptrowt	z400	15	15	15	−5
Rainbw	3500	99	95	95	
Regis	5500	9½	9	9½	+5
Remar	14000	8¾	7	7	−2¾
Rimrck	10000	78	76	76	−4
Santa	500	8	8	8	
Shasta	2000	10	10	10	
Starlett	7000	4	4	4	
Swim Lk	1000	10	10	10	
Synrgy	6000	68	60	65	
Taplin	245150	275	205	235	−35
Trevc	67000	74	70	74	+4
Van Silr	1000	45	45	45	
Weland	1500	21	20	20	
Wstley	1000	60	55	60	+5
Yelstn	15000	26	25	25	
Yuknda	3500	5	5	5	+ ½

VANCOUVER WEEKLY STOCK QUOTES
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Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chge	Net 1974
MINES						
Prism Res	1000	12	10	10	−2	71
Primer	39500	12¾	9	11¾	+2¾	18
Pioneer	500	51¾	14¾	14¾	− ¼	25
Placer	500	51¾	14¾	14¾	− ¼	25
Pinnacle	9000	5	5	5	+ ¼	24
Pine Lke	6000	5	5	5		19
Placer Rsv	3300	165	163	170	−4	80
Pegasus	25200	46	37	37	−7	27
Peel	3000	7	6	7	+1	17
Pyramid	2000	7	7	7		4
Pine Star	7000			3¼	— ¼	2
Pan Arctic	500	12	12	12	+1	39
Pamour	2400	18	18	18	−1	66
Pacific Pete	1000	90	90	90	−11	190
Pacific Res	24700	260	236	245	−6	223
Parmnt	9000	10	10	10	−2	35
Parmnt	1000	10	10	10	−2	35
Parmnt	14000	13	13	13	−2	47
Pbrnt	1000	5	5	5		7
Pbrnt	2000	5	5	5	−1	7
Pbrnt	1000	5	5	5	−1	7
Pbrnt	2000	5	5	5	−1	7
Pbrnt	1

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A White-Collar Job, Knuckles to Match

Perhaps it's the sign above the door that finally does it but you walk through and it's all around you — fear.

The sign proclaims "Driver Examination" and everyone hates examinations. And you didn't really want to come in the first place.

But there you are. So you line up at the counter and someone hands you a form and tells you to "fill in the white part" and when it's done a voice says "we'll call you."

Suddenly you're so alone

"We'll call you," the voice tells another hopeful and dispatches him toward the wall. And you sit there cursing because you have to wait so long; and at the same time hoping that it certainly isn't you they'll call next.

Then you squeeze between two sad faces that line the walls and sit and fidget. You try to read the Road Code once again to make sure you know all the answers. But that's no good. You really can't see the words and you're quite sure anyway that you don't know any of the answers.

You should have stayed at home.

Behind the form-wielding woman, you can see applicants sitting at little school-like desks, struggling to answer the written part of the test. They don't look any happier than you feel.

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Along with waiting in a dentist's reception room, preparing for a driving examination is probably one of the most nerve-wracking things you can do. Ask Glen Standen, assistant chief examiner at the Menzies Street Motor Vehicle office, and he'll tell you he's seen people taking their test, sitting with their feet on the clutch and brake pedals "and their legs are bouncing up and down, they are so nervous."

But what of the examiners — there are nine in the Victoria office including supervisor Bill Harbar, who has been there 20 years — what of the men who have to venture out in cars with many who are nervous novices? Aren't they nervous, too, sometimes? Sure, says Robert Whitlock, deputy superintendent of motor vehicles. Many examiners have nervous conditions and, in fact, quite often trainee examiners have to drop out because they just can't take it.

Quite recently in Nova Scotia, an examiner had a driver-applicant die of a heart attack at the wheel one morning and that afternoon a woman taking her test drove him off the road and on to the middle of someone's lawn. That evening at a social function a woman accused the examiner: "You civil servants have an easy life!"

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Right now, Standen sits behind a desk and with his boss, chief examiner Glen Barter, handles the administration of the driver testing program. But Standen, who has been with the Motor Vehicle Branch 15 years, spent six years on the road as an examiner and he knows what it's like. He says the worst fault is failure to pay enough attention to pedestrians and other cars at crossings and tells of the time when he was taking a young woman for her test in a mini. "She pulled up at the crossing, looked left, looked right and looked left again and then proceeded to cross in front of a huge lumber truck! I had to jam my foot on the brake pedal and stopped just in time. How she didn't see it I'll never know."

Of course, there have been many other harrowing incidents experienced by Victoria examiners. One had an elderly driver die of a heart attack while the car was going down a steep hill; and another car rolled over during a test and went down a bank into someone's yard. And over in Vancouver once, a driver taking his test crashed his vehicle right through the wall of one of the motor vehicle offices. But this kind of thing doesn't happen as much any more. The examiners have been told to take control of the car if an accident looks imminent. And says Standen, most examiners have had to do this.

There are four reasons for immediate disqualification: violation of the laws (breaking the speed limit, etc.), refusal to perform (if a driver says he can't or won't do part of the road test), causing an accident, even though not necessarily being involved in it (if, say, a driver swerves to avoid you and smashes into another car) and dangerous action (if, for example, a pedestrian has to scamper to get out of your way). When an applicant does any of these things, the rest of the test is abandoned. "Of course, Standen grinned, "the examiner doesn't tell the driver right then that he has failed. He just says turn right, then left or whatever he has to in order to return to the testing station — otherwise the applicant would be upset and might have another accident on the way back."

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What do they look for when choosing an examiner A background in driving helps, points out Whitlock "and we quite often get a few ex-bus drivers apply." The ideal examiner must be pleasant under some harrowing conditions and be able to tell people what they did wrong in a manner they will accept.

Many drivers just don't want to accept the fact that they're not ready to drive safely on the road, says Standen. "We had a man in Williams Lake who has failed five times but keeps coming back, so the examiners there sent his application form down to our head office. We told him to take professional driving instruction before applying again. He did. And he's just failed again!" Standen points out that it's a matter of attitude. "Nine out of 10 people can learn to drive if they have proper instruction and will only pay attention," he says.

Appearance, says Whitlock, is another thing to consider when choosing an examiner. "People judge a man by his appearance and his facial expressions. We've had competent examiners who have been accused of being harsh or stern but, by the number they pass, they are not."

In many people's minds, an examiner assumes the guise of an ogre. He is the only thing standing between them and the freedom to drive off into the sunset. But the examiner is caught in the middle. As Standen puts it: If the examiner disqualifies a driver, for something the driver himself has done wrong, he's a real stinker; if he passes someone, he's a real nice guy."

And, as you walk downstairs to the crowded little room where it's busy, busy as always and look in at the sadness and apprehension that lines the walls, Standen's final words echo in your head ". . . we are here to serve the public, not to scare hell out of the guy trying to get his licence."

John McKay Photos

Examiner George Bricker and Eldon Miller . . . double tension

Student Housing Needs Studied

Trends in student housing at the University of Victoria will be the subject of a study initiated by the Universities Council of B.C.

Planning consultants Graham Brawn and Associates Ltd. of Vancouver have been hired by the council to analyse housing trends at the province's three universities — UVic, University of B.C. and Simon Fraser University.

Consultant Jim Marunchak said Friday the study will determine what percentage of students entering the university community are single, married, married with families, or single parents, and thereby isolate the type of housing which should be built.

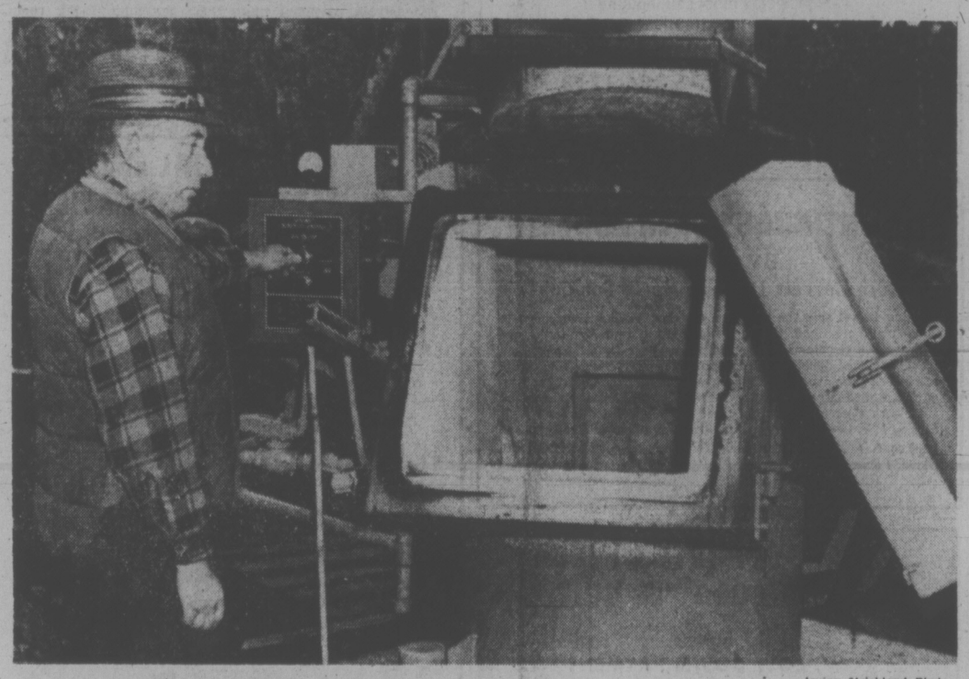
Shirley Baker, manager of UVic's housing services department, said definite trends in student housing preference have been evident over the past five years.

"We've found that many, many people come back to our residences. Not everybody is anxious to cook his own meals in his own place," she said.

She said the demand for on-campus accommodation is increasing every year, partly because of an increase in the student population but also "because it's easier for someone on a fixed budget to live in a residence and know from the start how much he will spend."

The on-campus housing demand has also been helped along by changes in residence-living.

"There used to be restrictions in residences that have now been done away with," Mrs. Baker said.



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Sam Spence and his $6,000 'pathological crematorium'

19 Groups Get $322,687 From Latest L.I.P. Grants

Nineteen Local Initiative Program grants totalling $322,687 have been approved in the Victoria area by the department of manpower and immigration.

The projects, which vary from rehabilitation of existing houses to organization of a neighborhood activities centre, will create 2,349 weeks of employment throughout the winter.

A breakdown of individual projects and their finances follows:

—Victoria West Life Skills, $21,290, six jobs to organize a "life skills" program for youth increasing personal awareness in interpersonal relations, family life, leisure time, community development and responsibilities and employment.

—Tapes for the Blind and Handicapped, $10,686, three jobs, to provide a taping service for technical books, magazines and material requested for the blind and handicapped.

—Victoria Volunteer Bureau, $17,912, five jobs; a pilot project to co-ordinate the needs of local service agencies with members of the community who wish to become volunteers.

—Fernwood Neighborhood Centre, $17,810, five jobs, to organize neighborhood activities including the survey of community needs, the upgrading of local newsletter and operation of a drop-in centre.

—Winter Recreational and Educational Fun Program, $21,372, six jobs, to organize recreational and educational activities for native Indian students including skating, swimming, dances and tutoring service for elementary grades.

—Curriculum Audio Tape, $10,677, three jobs, to provide cassette tapes of elementary school curriculum geared for students who have reading difficulties.

—Rehabilitation Preservation Project, $20,585, seven jobs, to rehabilitate existing houses in the James Bay area, and provide duplex and triplex accommodation for rent to low-income families.

—Discovery, $17,810, five jobs, to organize art classes for children between the ages of two to 12 years at the Emily Carr Arts Centre with extension programs in Sidney.

—Kaleidoscope, $32,708, nine jobs, to provide a cultural awareness program for children through the production of plays theatre workshops and visits to community cultural centres.

—Open Space, $21,363, six jobs to expand services of Open Space, to include the organization of the B.C. Winter Festival and develop a media resource program covering artistic events.

—YM-YWCA Outdoor Education Resources, $14,248, four jobs, to organize various activities in outdoor education including an outdoor education kit for youth and schools and a farm project at Camp Thunderbird.

—Archives Research, $17,810, five jobs to research the records of the B.C. Land Investment Agency including the cataloguing and examination of the financial side of the firm's history.

—Community Service Survey, $19,728, six jobs to conduct a survey identifying existing social recreational and educational services and assess the gaps in these services for the Oak Bay area.

—Program of Newton Recreation Society, $10,686, three jobs, to promote family as well as adult and children's recreation in Victoria.

—Pathways for People, $12,489, four jobs, to provide a program assisting mental patients and those with emotional probelms in areas of education, recreation and community orientation. A housing registry and accommodation service will also be provided.

—Recreation Outreach, $13,134, four jobs, to provide extended recreational programs for senior citizens and youth.

—Portable Large Muscle Equipment for Sundance Elementary School, $15,529, six jobs, to design and construct portable exercise equipment.

—Health Care for Seniors, $9,453, three jobs to provide preventive health care training for senior citizens including nutrition, home nursing, personal health and hygiene.

—The Old Millstream Music Company, $17,947, six jobs, to provide live entertainment of old time music to elderly patients in hospitals, nursing homes and old-age homes.

Ask The Times

Q. Does the drain tile (which collects the rain water around the house) connect up with the storm drain or does this connect to a separate line leading to the catch basins which are at the end and middle of the curbing. This pertains to Saanich municipality.

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A. There is no uniform storm drain system in Saanich, and there are many non-conforming systems used in different parts of the municipality. Contact the Saanich engineering department giving your exact address and they can provide the information for that area.

The Times endeavors to answer questions of general public interest in this column. Personal replies to queries will not be made.

Questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums or legal problems.

Nor will it attempt to put a value on coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.

Everything Isn't Tickety-Boo on Way to Pet Heaven

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

As the little old lady walks weeping out of the veterinarian's surgery she takes a last look at the dog who has been her faithful companion for years.

Then, outside, a thought strikes her. She turns to the receptionist and asks what happens after the animal is put down.

Reassuringly, she is told: "Don't you worry about a thing. Leave everything to us, dear, we'll do what has to be done."

That sort of scene is a several-times-daily occurrence in veterinary clinics all over Greater Victoria, says dog breeder and kennel owner Sam Spence, and the comforting words do seem to achieve the desired effect.

"Some people think as soon as they've left he (the vet) presses a button, a hole opens up in the floor and — bingo — the dog's in heaven and everything's neat and clean and tidy."

But what actually happens in most cases, after the animal is destroyed, is somewhat different. As Spence put it: "The owners would be pretty shocked and sickened if they knew the bodies were just dumped on the garbage truck."

For both practical reasons of hygiene and on ethical grounds, Sam Spence and his wife Carrie deplore the practice, which is why they have opened Vancouver Island's first pet crematorium, on their 3½-acre property at 60 Highland Road.

The impressive-looking piece of equipment, 18 feet high with a towering stack, had to be ordered from a firm in West Virginia at a cost of about $6,000.

It's specially made for the job — a "pathological crematorium," as Spence explained — propane-fired, generates 350,000 BTUs in the burning chamber and can reduce a 60-pound carcass to fine, powdery ash in one hour.

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Spence claims it's smokeless and odor-free, although red tape formalities delayed a pollution permit for close to seven months.

Since the couple started operating the service last September they have signed up three veterinary clinics and the recently-opened Central Victoria Veterinary Hospital as clients.

But that still leaves a number of veterinary establishments that favor disposal via the garbage dump, he says.

His standard charge for the service is $10 per load collected from the clinics. For private customers whose pets have died from illness or in a road accident, it's $25 for an animal up to 50 pounds and proportionately more for heavier pets. An 80-pound Samoyed, for example, would cost $30.

Owners receive a miniature urn containing the ashes. Attached to the neck of the urn is a little card bearing the animal's name and the inscription "Faithful to the End."

The Spences laugh and shake their heads when a reporter asks if they aspire to a full-blown pets' funeral parlor. But they have heard of someone in Eastern Canada who provides all the frills, including elaborate miniature coffins, and whose fees start at around $300.

What happens, though, if an eccentric pet-mourner requests a form of funeral service — bearing in mind religious beliefs that animals have no souls? Again, Spence shrugs. But he doesn't dismiss the notion entirely.

Their main concern is with providing a quick, efficient and hygienic disposal system for dead animals; one that won't offend their owners' sensibilities.

Said Mrs. Spence: "Long before we had the cremation equipment we discovered what a problem this was. We used to have people phone us in tears, wondering what to do with animals that had died. For an old person living alone in an apartment it's a real problem."

Her husband said they did consider setting aside a portion of their property as a pet cemetery, but dismissed the idea as impractical because "the family might want to bring flowers and have a Sunday picnic round the dog's grave."

Both feel strongly that treating animal corpses as just so much garbage reflects primitive thinking for an advanced country like Canada, and say the practice should be condemned on health considerations alone.

But city engineer Jim Garnett disagrees that it is unhygienic. At all times from collection, to dumping in trailers at the city garbage wharf on Herald Street and finally to delivery at the Hartland Road garbage dump, the carcasses are kept covered, he said.

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And as soon as the loads arrive at the dump their contents are buried by bulldozers. "The whole procedure is entirely sanitary," Garnett insisted.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, which destroys more than 30 dogs every week, makes its own regular disposal run to the city's garbage wharf.

SPCA manager Dave Beeching said five or six years ago the society proposed building its own cremation plant at a cost of about $10,000, but asked the city of Victoria to share 50-50 the estimated operating cost of about $200 per month.

"The city turned it down flat."

With the organization facing an $8,000 operating loss this year, it has no alternative but to continue its present practice, he said.